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School Census In Progress In City And County

The Scholastic Census in both McKinney and throughout Collin County is in full sway and will continue until every child of school age is registered.

In view of the fact that the City and County receive from the State Educational Fund $22.50 for each child recorded, in the per capita apportionment, it is of vital importance to the schools that no child is overlooked, reminded County Superintendent J. W. Moseley and City Superintendent Jack Ryan Wednesday. They further called attention to the fact that Texas State Law makes it mandatory that parents give the names of every child who will reach the age of 6 years on September 1, 1941, or who will not be over 18 on that date.

The law requires that the children residing in a school district April 1 must be included in the census, so County Superintendent Moseley announces that he wants the reports from census takers between April 3 and April 10.

Prof. W. T. McCasland, Principal of the J. H. Hill (Central) Ward School, is taking the census in McKinney. In the county there are 90 Common School Districts and 14 Independent Districts outside of McKinney, and there is one census taker doing the work in each district. Details of the census work in the County Superintendent's office are being handled by his assistant, Malcolm M. Walters.

Obsequies Held In Dallas For Ben Cloyd, 62

Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon for Ben Cloyd, 62, native of McKinney, who died in a Dallas Hospital Tuesday. Services were held at the Holtz-Shelton Funeral Home, in Dallas, with Rev. Robert Smith in charge. Burial followed in the Restland Memorial Park.

Mr. Cloyd was born and reared in McKinney and was well-known among a large group of friends in this city and county. His father engaged in the implement business in McKinney for many years. The deceased traveled for many years and was one of the best mechanics in this section. His home was at 4402 Live Oak, Dallas.

Surviving are his wife, the former Miss Annie Curtis, sister of Mrs. W. M. Worsham of this city, and Tom Cloyd, of McKinney; Will Cloyd of Dallas and Mrs. Joe Burkher of Dallas, brothers and sisters. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, Joe Cloyd.

Texas House Passes Million Dollar Tax Bill

Following a continuous 15-hour session, the House in Austin sent to the Seante Tuesday an omnibus tax bill estimated to raise more than $30,000,000 a year additional revenue, mostly from natural resources.

Following Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's criticism of the committee, the House rejected the Governor's proposal to act first on a $26,820,000 a year appropriation for social security. Then it went to work on the omnibus bill, and almost tripplied its revenue-raising features.

Brought in Food.

The 137-to-8 vote for final passage ofthe bill came 14 hours and 35 minutes after the House met Monday morning. There was no recess for lunch or dinner. The members ate sandwiches brought from nearby restaurants by their pages.

Rep. James E. Taylor of Kerens, chairman of the sub-committee that drafted the original $14,000,000 omnibus bill, computed that the measure as passed by the House would raise $30,217,481 in new revenue.

Log Rollers Association Plans Meeting

C. A. Carter, publicity director, announces that the Bi-monthly meeting of the Log Rollers Association of the W. O. W., will be held Friday night, March 14, at Aubrey, Texas. All W. O. W. members of lodges in Collin and Denton Counties are requested to be in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Scott and son, Dale Wayne, Mrs. Hollis Brooks and children, Johnny and Saundra Kay, of Ardmore, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scott of McKinney and Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Scott of Bishop.

Cumby Blacksmith, 101 Years Old, Is Called To Reward

Robert R. (Bob) Williams, 101, who won state-wide fame as the Village Blacksmith of Cumby in his unsuccessful but colorful campaign against Tom M. Campbell for the Democratic nomination for Governor in 1908, died in Cumby Tuesday.

Oldest resident of Hopkins County, he had served as State Representative in the Twenty-Seventh, Thirty-Third and Thirty-Fourth Legislatures and had held public office in his county for twenty-eight years. He began the study of law when he was 65.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday with burial in the cemetery there.

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Unreconstructed Rebel.

A Confederate flag hung on the wall of his bedroom as a symbol of an "unreconstructed rebel" and as a reminder of the four years he served with the armies of the Confederacy. He enlisted at 16 at the outbreak of the war and when Lee surrendered in April 1865, he was on detail to recruit a company. He was mustered out a captain.

Williams was a native of Henderson County, Tenn., but moved to Dallas (now Mena), Polk County, Arkansas, in 1855. He came to Texas in 1868 and first established his home at Mount Pleasant, where he farmed, then moved to old Black Grove (now Cumby) in 1872 and opened a blacksmith and woodwork shop. He soon became known as Blacksmith Bob, and later as Democratic Bob when his forge became the rallying spot for political discussion by his friends and neighbors from miles around.

At the age of 93, Williams attempted to retire from the office of justice of the peace, but he was reelected and served until he had passed the century mark.

Williams was at one time associated with John N. Garner, former Vice-President, and with Speaker Sam Rayburn. He also was a member of the legislative committee that was instrumental in the founding of the Texas State College for Women at Denton.

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Formed Masonic Lodge.

In his memorable campaign for the gubernatorial nomination against Campbell, Williams faced charges by his opponents that he was supported by the interests Gov. James S. Hogg had fought. Although defeated in the bitter campaign, he polled a surprisingly heavy vote. He carried Dallas County, with approximately 5,500 votes to Campbell's 3,900.

Joining the Masonic fraternity before leaving Arkansas, he organized the lodge at Cumby and was its oldest surviving member.

Survivors include two sons, Murphy W. Williams and Paschal Williams of Cumby, and two daughters. Mrs. John Wilkins of Greenville and Miss Mattie Williams of Cumby.

69 Permits To Wed Issued Here Since January 1

Since January 1, 1941, 69 marriage licenses were issued by County Clerk W. C. Hagy, nine less than those issued during the same period last year, or 78 from January 1 to March 10, 1940, inclusive.

The County birth record for January this year showed 87 births recorded, as compared with 57 recorded in January last year, or a gain of thirty, according to County Clerk Hagy.

Dr. R. A. Clifton To Be Speaker At Gladewater

Dr. R. A. Clifton, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, will drive to Gladewater Thursday, where he will deliver an address Thursday night at a banquet to be held by the Deacons of the First Baptist Church of that city.

Dr. Clifton said he had not decided upon his subject yet. His invitation to attend and address the banquet was received from Dr. G. E. Ellis, Pastor of the Baptist Church at Gladewater. Dr. Clifton will return home Friday.

H. A. Robbins returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. A. G. Elkins in McKinney. Mr. Robbins makes his home with his youngest daughter, Mrs. M. F. Lewis, near Murphy.

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Our good friend, G. R. Roland, of the Anna community, was in the city Tuesday on business. He gave us a pleasant call and handed us a dollar for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for his father, Jim Roland, who also lives in the Anna community.

Brotherhood Meeting Held At N. Baptist

There was a good attendance and everyone enjoyed the spiritual as well as the social features of the meeting and oyster supper held by the Brotherhood of the North Baptist Church Tuesday night.

Rev. Earl Rogers, Pastor of the Full Gospel Church, was the principal speaker, his subject being "Practical Religion." Vernon Lusk, President of the Brotherhood, presided. Walter Commons was Program Chairman.

The Brotherhood meets the second and fourth Tuesday night of each month at the North Baptist Church and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Collin County Exhibitors At Fat Stock Show

Collin County is well represented at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, now in progress in Fort Worth. Several Collin livestockmen, following their annual custom, expect to bring back home their share of prizes and blue ribbons.

Mack Morgan, living Southeast of McKinney, and son, Buford, have eleven head of fine Poland-China hogs on exhibit at the Stock Show. Mr. Morgan commends the splendid new hog barn at the stock show, ideal for those having hogs on display.

Forest and Ben Carter, who live West of McKinney, have some fine Poland-China hogs and White Face cattle at the stock show.

Joe C. Moore of Melissa, President of the Collin County Pure Bred Livestock Association, has several head of his fine Jerseys at the show.

Visitors at the exposition are taking occasion to admire these excellent Collin County animals.

Mrs. L. L. Perkins and little son Jon of Dallas spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins.

H. H. Neilson To Speak In Wylie Sunday, March 16

Hon. Horace H. Neilson, prominent McKinney Attorney, and active in religious and civic circles, will deliver an address at the Laymen's Service at the Methodist Church in Wylie Sunday, March 16. The St. Paul Methodist Church will participate in the services, which will begin at 7:30 p .m.

Mr. Neilson is a splendid speaker and the citizens of South Collin will be pleased to hear his address.

Rev. W. R. Corrigan is Pastor of the two churches.

1,316 License Plates Issued In This County

Up to closing time Wedensday night Deputy J. R. Stewart in the Highway Department of County Tax Assessor-Collector Clint M. Lewis reported a total of 1,316 license plates had been sold in this county. Of this number, 107 were for farm trucks, 59 for commercial cars and 1,150 for passenger cars.

Wednesday was one of their busiest days of the month. He reminds the public again that April 1 will be the final day on which to obtain 1941 licenses.

Dr. R. A. Largent Buys 200 Acres From J. M. Gay

A big land deal was closed Wednesday, March 12, when Tom W. Perkins and Frank Blackwell of the McKinney Realty Company sold 200 acres of good land for J. Maston Gay of Dallas to Dr. R. A. Largent, the deal being a cash one.

Dr. Largent buys this good farm, just off Highway 75, two miles South of McKinney, as a business investment, and in our opinion, Dr. Largent made no mistake.

Both Mr. Gay and Dr. Largent are high-class, successful business men and it is a pleasure to do business with them.

SHERIFFS' OFFICE IS REMODELED.

The offices of Sheriff W. E. Button are being remodeled and repainted. The work started Wednesday and when completed will materially improve the appearance of the County's law-enforcement offices.

Blain DeArmond Passes Away Of Paralytic Stroke

Blain DeArmond, 63 years old, a native and life-long resident of McKinney, died Tuesday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock following a stroke of paralysis at noon. His death occurred at the home of his brother, Dick DeArmond 211 East Standifer Street . Mr. DeArmond had been in ill health for more than two years but his sudden attack and subsequent death within a few hours came unexpectedly.

Funeral services were held at the Massie Funeral Home Thursday morning at 10 o'clock Dr. C. S. Weaver, Pastor of the First Christian Church, officiated and interment was in Pecan Grove Cemetery.

Pallearers were Spanish-American War Veterans. Mr. De Armond served during the Spanish-American War.

The deceased was the son of the late Colonel R. D. DeArmond, a native of Tennessee, and of Sarah Graves DeArmond who was born in Missouri. Both preceded him in death some years ago.

Mr. DeArmond was unmarried. He was well known in McKinney and Collin County. He was born in this city November 2, 1877. He is survived by two brothers, Dick DeArmond and Graves DeArmond both well-known residents of McKinney.

M. B. Smith To Be Speaker At Rotary Meeting

M. B. Smith, Postmaster at Farmersville, former newspaper publisher and active in religious and civic circles in his home city, will address the McKinney Rotary Club at its regular weekly luncheon Friday noon, March 14, at the First Christian Church. Ladies of the Church will serve the luncheon.

Mr. Smith's subject will be "Business And Its Patrons," and the committee that secured this speaker predicts a rare treat in store for local Rotarians. The Program Committee for Friday noon luncheon is composed of Dr. J. S. Bridgefarmer and F. B. Pope. Mr. Pope will introduce the speaker.

Jim Cantrell, President of the Club, will preside.

Methodist Pastors' Wives Club Meets At Plano Church

The Methodist Pastors' Wives Club of the McKinney District held their monthly meeting at the Methodist Church in Plano, with Mrs. Ed Mathison, President, in charge.

The central theme of the program was "Improving our Homes —Physically and Spiritually." The roll call was answered by giving some practical suggestions or ideas on improving the interior of our houses.

Mrs. Boyd, of Garland, gave an interesting talk on "The Christian Home," which was followed by a duet by Mrs. Ed Mathison, of Vickery, and Mrs. John Poe Hensley, of Dallas, who sang, "Sweet Home." Mrs. Robert Ridley concluded the program by reading original poems centered around the home and various members of the home. The meeting was closed by prayer, and luncheon was served by the ladies of the Plano Church.

Negro Wanted In Muskogee Found Near McKinney

Less than two hours after receiving a letter from Sheriff Tom M. Jordan of Muskogee, Oklahoma, asking local authorities to be on the lookout for a colored man wanted in Muskogee on a charge of grand larceny, Sheriff W. E. Button and deputies apprehended a colored man about 29 years old working on a farm Southwest of McKinney. The man waived extradition and an officer from Muskogee will arrive Wednesday to take him back to Oklahoma. The arrest here was made in record time by Deputy Sheriffs Dan Rike and Euel Ford.

Mrs. J. B. Wilson, who submitted to an operation at the McKinney City Hospital several weeks ago, continues to improve at her home in this city. She is able to be up much of the time and to enjoy rides about the city.

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Miss Helen Jane Roberts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat N. Roberts of this city, has been confined to her home for several days with illness. However, she is improved Wednesday, which will be pleasing news to her many friends throughout the city.

Demonstrations On Terracing By Collin Farm Agent

Terracing Demonstrations to be held this week and next, by County Agricultural Agent Jack McCullough, include the following:

Wednesday morning, March 12 Terracing, E. L. Donihoo farm, between Parker and Dump.

Thursday morning, March 13, Terracing, O. W. Davidson farm.

Thursday morning, March 13, Terracing, Alvin Lindsay farm.

Friday, 1:30 p .m. Terracing, H. L. Davis farm.

Other demonstartions are:

Monday, March 17, a. m., Dairy cattle judging; Renner 4-H Club Boys.

Monday, March 17, p. m. Dairy judging, Prosper 4-H Club boys.

Tuesday, March 18, a. m. Terracing, Cecil Spencer, Allen.

Wednesday, March 19, a. m. Culling Hens, J. L. Kindle, near Enloe School.

"Your Friend" Club Writing To Selectees

The good results being obtained through the "Your Friend Club" were emphasized by Hon. H. H. Neilson, originator of the Club, when he addressed the Selectees, who left Tuesday for Dallas to be inducted into the nation's peacetime Army. Mr. Neilson is Secretary of Draft Board No. 1. Ula Saunders is Secretary of Board No. 2. Together they sent eighteen white boys and one colored (replacement) Tuesday.

These Selectees and their sponsors are:

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From Board No. 1.

Elmo Adams, Charles W. Graves.

Cecil Ray Stephens, C. E. Harrington.

Clifton Theorode Headrick, Walter Holland.

J. C. Rollins, Wallace W. Herron.

Charles Wilford Tarvin, Jack Warden.

Gideon Alan Dowlen, F. B. Pope.

Rufus James Gunter, Deb Travillion.

Robert Calvin Roy, James M. Hale.

Alfred Osbel Kruse, Chas. L. Hillis.

Thomas Jennings Holloway, R. B. Beaver.

Sam Harrison Showman, R. T. Bedell.

Colored replacement, Vernon Castoria Jackson, Gabe Robinson.

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From Board No. 2.

R. J. Bailey, Tully B. Lucas.

Mont Newton Wardlow, Will Ball.

William Andrew Cody, John Bratcher.

Roy Lee Chumley, H. L. Davis.

Diew Thomas Roland, J. H. Murphy.

Horice Ivyl Cunnynham, Ed Taylor.

John Edwin Sauls, R. K. Hill.

In signing up the sponsors for the Selectees, Mr. Neilson is assured by each business man that he will write one boy at his camp at least once a month and enclose a self-addressed envelope for reply. Many of the boys are corresponding with their sponsors regularly and Mr. Neilson gives the following copy of a letter from one boy, which is typical of those received.

"Dear Friend:

"Today I was sitting around writing letters home and I thought of you.

"I will never forget the day and the people who gave us the great send off.

"That night we left Dallas for El Paso, reached there Saturday night. Boy, it sure was hot and dusty. I spent three days there. I went to Mexico before I left. Left there Wednesday afternoon at 1:00 o'clock and reached here Thursday night at six o'clock (Ft. W. E. Warren, Wyoming.) It snowed all the way up here and boy is it cold? It is so cold if you stuck your head out your ears would pop off.

"I enjoyed the trip up here very much, saw all kinds of wild animals and plenty of mountains. Boy, if I could only see a tree everything would be alright.

"The army is not a bad place to be. I would like to be closer to home than I am now but I guess it is like someone has said, we see the good old U. S. A.

"I am going to start to school as soon as I get my training. Of course that depends on me; the sooner I learn the sooner I will start to school. I will have seven weeks of school.

"We have all kinds of games, a skating rink, picture show and we can ski; of course I haven't tried that yet but I am going to.

"The army is all right and if anyone says it is not, just send them to me."

This letter reflects the attitude of the boys in training and shows the care the government is taking of the sons of America.

Mrs. Tilden Collar of New York City, who has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wolford Thompson, has returned home.

Celina School Bond Election Contest Will Be Appealed

The school bond election contest case of the Celina Independent School District will be appealed to the Court of Civil Appeals, it was learned Saturday from Hon. W. Clarence Dowdy, of McKinney, Attorney for the School District. The claims of the contestants had been denied in the District Court here recently.

Filing of the appeal bond was also made known by Attorney Dowdy, who said the principals named on the bond were George Jenkins, John Howell and Frank Kerr. The Sureties are J. W. Kin gand Bill Thorp.

Frank Kerby Visits McKinney, Watches Trucks Whizz By

(The Examiner.)

Former County Commissioner Frank Kerby was in town Mon-Monday watching the trucks and autos go round, up and down, crossways and then some. As so many already know, Frank has not been able to get around very well, because of crippled condition. So he has a good man to run his car, and they park, generally, near the southeast corner of the square, where Frank can enjoy the continual whirl of the big trucks and the shiny new cars as they pass.At the same time he is being greeted by scores of his old friends here in McKinney and by his neighbors from all over his precinct to the southeast. Frank is a jolly, happy natured man, and to be crippled so he can't move about very well would discourage one not so blessed with optimism. Frank is a pioneer breeder of Jersey cattle. We visited his farm East of Forest Grove many years ago. He was just starting his heard. Since then thousands of fine Jersey cattle have been raised in Collin County and are now furnishing truck loads of milk for McKinney's big milk production plant (Cabell's) just north of the city. It was just such enterprising men as Frank Kerby that laid the foundation for making our county prosperous by getting away from the one-crop system of raising cotton.

Garnett Volumes Are Offered To Grayson Library

(Sherman Democrat.)

Making her first visit to the new Grayson County building, successor to the one in which her husband served as judge of the fifty-ninth district court for many years, Mrs. Marion Garnett of McKinney, widow of Judge M. H. Garnett, Friday offered to the Grayson County law library 150 volumes from her husband's private library.

Mrs. Garnett visited the office of District Clerk V. R. Henderson, where the county law library is housed, and expressed her admiration of the county building erected in 1936.

Her husband was first judge of the fifty-ninth district court after it was established to serve Grayson and Collin counties in 1906, and he was succeeded by Judge F. E. Wilcox, who died two years ago and was succeeded by Judge Tom Suggs.

The offer of the valumes was referred to the committee on library and rooms of the Grayson County Bar Association, of which District Attorney Ralph Elliott is chairman.

PENNZOIL PRODUCTS ARE PLANNING BROAD ADVERTISING DRIVE

M. H. Trulock, of the Trulock Company, Distributors of Pennzoil Lubricants in the Dallas trade area, with offices and warehouse at 2312 Griffin Street, Dallas, was a business visitor in McKinney Wednesday.

Mr. Trulock said the Pennzoil Products producers are planning a broad advertising and sales campaign for this Spring, to be launched in April. McKinney, he said, is one of the important cities in his territory.

BIRTHDAY OBSERVANCE IS HELD AT ANNA HOME.

Mrs. William Estep was honored with a dinner Sunday at Anna celebrating her birthday, which was Saturday. Children took baskets of food to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Lewis and spent the day in reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knox and son, Mrs. J. A. Kistler and daughter of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Drury and son of Blue Ridge were present in addition to Anna guests.

Rev. E. P. Wootten, former Baptist Pastor at Nevada in Collin County, but now Pastor of the Whitewright Baptist Church, had business in McKinney Tuesday.

Inforamtion Of Interest To All Selectees Given

H. H. Neilson, Secretary of Draft Board No. 1, and Ula Saunders, Secretary of Draft Board No. 2, have just received word from the State Headquarters of the Selective Service System at Austin, explaining the procedure to be followed by all prospective Selectees who desire to secure deferment.

No request for deferment of a Selective Service registrant from military training will be considered until his local board has sent a questionnaire to him, General J. Watt Page, State Director of Selective Service, has declared. He also emphasized that a registrant can be deferred only by his local board and that no other group or person in the Selective Service System has jurisdiction until the local board has classified him.

Employers and dependents of prospective trainees who are submitting pleas for deferments in advance of the time when they come up for classification by their local boards, Director Page said, "are merely complicating the work of local boards without service to the interested parties."

Under Selective Service Regulations, local boards must classify registrants according to their order numbers, he pointed out, and said that when the time comes for the classification of a registrant, he, his employer, and his dependents must be given every opportunity to substantiate deferment claims. Any information submitted before a registrant receives his questionnaire from his local board, he added, probably would become obsolete and valueless.

Employers in doubt as to the likelihood of their employees being called for Selective Service training should communicate with Col. Dwight Horton or Major James B. Arthur, State Advisors on Occupational Deferments, at State Headquarters, Austin, who will give them all possible information, Director Page said.

Arrests Made After Robbery Filling Station

While his two companions were buying gasoline at a filling station in Celina, operated by Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Biggerstaff, the other member of a trio entered the station, opened the cash register and took all of the available cash, amounting to twenty dollars in bills and silver.

Mrs. Biggerstaff was attending the filling station alone at the time. The robbery was at once reported to Sheriff W. E. Button in McKinney and was broadcast over the short wave system. Forty-five minutes later three suspects were apprehended in Denton by the Denton police and, it is said, were later identified by Mrs. Biggerstaff.

They were brought to the County Jail here, where all three gave $200 bond each and were released, pending action of the Grand Jury.

Obsequies Held At Lancaster For J. E. Spillman

Among the McKinney citizens who went to Lancaster to attend the funeral of James Edward Spillman Thursday were: Dr. R. A. Clifton, Pastor of the First Baptist Church, and Mrs. Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Truett, Jr., W. S. Smith, C. E. Dowell, J. A. Dyer, C. H. Ray, E. L. Woods, Byron Hope, Charles W. Graves, C. M. Cooper, Fred Hicks, Lynn Boorman, W. W. Brady, Horace Hankins, Homer Wilson and Leonard Hill.

The funeral services were conducted at the Baptist Church in Lancaster at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon and interment followed in the Edgewood Cemetery.

Mr. Spillman, who was 23 years old and a flying cadet, was killed in a plane Crash last Friday near San Diego, California. He was the brother of Leo Spillman of McKinney and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spillman of Lancaster, who are among the survivors. A sister, Mrs. F. M. Rawlins, of Lancaster, and two other brothers, Pat Spillman of Lancaster and Mike Spillman of McAllen, also survive.

Young Spillman was a former student at Baylor University and later was employed in a Dallas bank for more than a year. He was well-known in McKinney and his many friends here join in extending condolence to the bereaved family.

Guests in the home of Prof. and Mrs. Earl Slaughter Monday were Mrs. Slaughter's mother, Mrs. R. B. Lindsey, of Anna, and her sisters, Mrs. Dow Rattan of Anna; Mrs. E. H. LeLoura of Cambridge, Mass., and Mrs. T. L. Yeargan of Dallas.

Funeral Is Held For L. W. Walker At Little Elm

The funeral services for Leander Washington Walker, 85 years old, who died in a Denton hospital, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Little Elm Methodist Church, with Rev. W. H. May of Aubrey officiating.

Surviving the deceased are the following children: A. L. Walker, G. B. Walker, W. J. Walker and H. L. Walker, of Little Elm; G. E. Walker of the Rector Community; Mrs. Emma Howell of Navo, Mrs. Minnie Blocker of Denton, and Mrs. Pearl Dykes of Pilot Point.

Junior-Senior P.-T. A. Hears Dr. J. M. Hooper

The Junior Senior P-T. A. met in the L. A. Scott Junior High Auditorium Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with a good attendance. This is a newly organized P.-T. A. with a growing membership. Mrs. Elmo Cloyd is President and was in charge of the meeting. Rev. C. E. Dodge gave the invocation and also led the group in singing, after which Mrs. W. C. Dowdy, Program Chairman, read the National P.-T. A. President's message. She then introduced Dr. J. M. Hooper, City-County Health Unit Director, who made the address of the afternoon. His subject was "Mental Hygiene," which was ably discussed and proved to be interesting as well as informative.

The program was followed by a business session conducted by Mrs. Cloyd in which splendid reports from the officers and committees were heard.

The stage in the auditorium was decorated by Coffman's Nursery, Mrs. C. H. Ray is Chairman of Hospitaliay, and assisted in arranging the decorations.

Judge T. O. Murray Spends Week-End Here From Austin

Judge Tom O. Murray of McKinney, Representative in the Legislature from Collin County, arrived from Austin Friday to spend the week-end at his home. He will return to Austin Sunday night.

Compromise Is Offered In Truck Load Measure

Compromise on a truck load bill that will permit a combined weight of 40,000 pounds for vehicle and load, was proposed in the Texas senate Thursday.

A vote on the weight was not taken, as the Senate interrupted consideration of the truck bill to hold an executive session to consider confirmation of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel's appointees.

A bill already passed by the house calls for a 35,000 maximum weight for truck and load. The senate committee on highways and motor traffic recommended that the weight be raised to 48,000 pounds. Senator Olan R. Van Zandt of Tioga offered an amendment today to make the limit 30,000 pounds and Sen. R. C. Lanning of Jacksboro then drafted a substitute calling for a 40,000-pound limit.

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Criticizes Sen. Wheeler.

Senate concurrence in house amendments to a senate bill gives the state supreme court until April 1, 1941, to make changes in the rules of court procedure recently submitted by the court.

Capt. J. A. Benton of Wylie introduced a resolution criticizing Sen. Burton K. Wheeler of Montana for his statement that American public opinion is against passage of the lease-lend bill in congress. The Benton measure called Wheeler's statement "grossly untrue. . .and not consistent with the best interests of the United States."

The house passed without dissent a bill to allow the University of Texas to have both military and naval ROTC units.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith, Mrs. J. L. Beene and Miss Naubie Beene, of Nevada, were guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kimbriel and the latter's mother, Mrs. W. C. Smith, in this city.

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Mrs. Cliff Goggans, who submitted to an operation at the McKiney City Hospital Wednesday morning, is resting well, according to hospital attendants. Mrs. Goggans is one of the efficient members of the Texas Power & Light Company force in this city. Her husband is a well-known McKinney business man, being owner and proprietor of Goggans Tailor Shop.

Five in Family Killed, Children Will Carry On

The Taets children pose for a picture

Orphaned suddenly when their father, mother, grandfather, grandmother and one of their brothers were killed in a highway accident which also claimed the life of Lou Kolls, big league umpire, seven brothers and sisters of Rock Island, Ill., now will undertake to carry on and farm 520 acres instead of separating and living with relatives. The children, left to right, Joseph, 20; Leonard, 19; Dale, 16; Donald, 16; Rita, 14; Elmer, 13, and Alice, 10. Those killed included Mr. and Mrs. Camiel Taets, father and mother of the group, Taets' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taets, and a son, Albert. The senior Taets was overseer of a group of farms, of which Camiel operated one.

Membership In McKinney Dads Club Made Known

The complete membership of the McKinney Dads Club, up to the present time, is made known by W. L. Glazener, Chairman of the Membership Committee. The following list shows 278 members, and Mr. Glazener, President C. H. Ray and other officials are expecting at least 300 members by the next meeting, to be held Monday night, March 10, at the High School.

The members are:

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J. E. Abernathy.
Scott Abernathy.
W. P. Abernathy.
A. A. Alexander.
Roy Allen.
Charles Angel.
A. A. Armstrong.
Don W. Bagwill.
E. C. Ballem.
Warren Barnes.
O. E. Baskin.
Marion Beardon.
Jimmie Belden.
T. Bergvall.
Frank Blackwell.
Ed Blakeman.
Chas. Blewett
Roland Boyd.
C. E. Bozeman.
J. S. Bridgefarmer.
R. L. Brockman.
J. J. Brown.
C. A. Browne.
Robert Bryan.
A. C. Bullock.
Joe Bunch.
Leon Burke.
T. L. Burks.
Charlie Burrus.
Jesse Burton.
N. A. Burton.
Edgar Bush.
W. H. Bush.
B. L. Butler.
W. E. Button.
J. C. Byrom.
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Clyde Doyle.
L. F. Drake.
Roger Duke.
W. T. Dungan.
C. M. Duvall.
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Chas. W. Graves.
H. O. Green.
Oscar Greer.
Howard Grubbs.
W. C. Hagy.
T. J. Hall.
R. T. Hammond.
J. S. (Red) Hand.
Ramsey Harris.
F. H. Haynes.
H. M. Head.
R. C. Heathington.
Lee Roy Hedgcoxe
Ray Hendricks.
C. J. Hicks.
Fred Hicks.
Sam Hill.
Leeton Hillis.
Virgil Hines.
L. E. Hoard.
W. T. Hoard.
Walter Holland.
F. A. Hooks.
R. B. Hoover.
Byron Hope.
Oran Hope.
Clyde Horn.
T. H. Hughston.
C. A. Jackson.
J. B. James.
Stewart Jernigan
H. B. Johnson.
A. T. Keever.
L. C. Kenyon.
L. M. King.
Hugh L. Kirkpatrick.
Erwin Kissinger.
Dr. J. Knight.
Louie Knox.
Roy Knox.
T. J. Lane.
Joe E. Largent.
E. S. Larson.
John Lawson.
Clint M. Lewis.
Bill Manley.
Twain Massie.
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Lee Sutherland.
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Mr. Tankersly.
Henry Tarvin.
Winifred Taylor.
Z. W. Taylor.
J. P. Thomas
Clint Thompson.
Jim Thompson.
Wilbur Thompson.
Dale F. Thurman.
W. F. Tittle.
Deb Travillion.
R. L. Tucker.
W. M. Vanlandingham.
Earl Walker.
Ray Walker.
Morris Wallace.
Mike M. Walters.
H. W. Warden.
Jack Warden.
H. S. Ware.
W. L. Watkins.
J. Boyd Webb.
Jack Weeks.
Hardin Wells.
E. G. West.
Lewis West.
P. R. Westmoreland.
Herman White.
Hubert White.
John White.
John Morgan White.
Ralph White.
Dwight Whitwell.
Milam M. Williams.
Red Willis.
Add G. Wilson.
Earnest Wilson.
Joe Wilson.
Wallace Wilson.
Earl Y. Wolford.
G. Frank Wolford.
H. F. Wolford.
Phil Wolford.
Cecil Woods.
E. L. Woods.

Aristotle Coleman, son of the Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Coleman, has enrolled in Southern Methodist University in Dallas. He holds a scholarship.

Succeeds Potocki

Jan Ciechanowski

Representative of the Polish government in exile in London, Jan Ciechanowski, new Polish [illegible] to the U. S., is pictured at the White House in Washington where he presented his credentials to President Roosevelt. Ciechanowski succeeds Count Jerzy Potocki.

PIKE

By Mrs. A. R. McMurray

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Watterson have a new son.

Lionel McCurley and E. L. Young were in Howe Friday.

Mrs. Shelley Gregory is recovering from a critical illness of pneumonia.

Mrs. Frank Hood is visiting her mother and daughter, Mrs. Merl Parks in Dallas.

Mrs. Shelley Gregory is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Rev. Voss of Merit filled his appointment at the Methodist church.

Miss Peggy Duke is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alma Irving at Merit.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Eldridge spent the week-end at Bonham with her parents.

Commissioner St. Clair and family of Blue Ridge visited relatives and friends here for the week-end.

Tommy Braddy who is attending aircraft school in Dallas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Braddy.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Addison spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Mitchell near Wolfe City.

A. R. McMurry and son Everett spent Friday in Farmersville with his daughter Mrs. J. H. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rich and son of Hickory Creek spent Thursday and Friday with her mother Mrs. W. H. Rich.

Mrs. T. C. Fry observed her 71st birthday at her home south of Pike today, the following relatives being present:

W. A. and Homer Sims were called to Blue Ridge last night by the illness of their mother, Mrs. J. H. Sims.

Troy Lee Mills, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mills who reside on the Slover homestead has been ill since December but is improving.

Clifton McCurley of the Medical Corps, U. S. Army at San Antonio spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. McCurley.

Mrs. Luda Addison and children have been to Boggy attending the bedside of their mother-in-law and grandmother, Mrs. Sarah Cain Robinson.

W. W. Seigler has returned from Blue Grove, Clay county where he was called by the critical illness of his father, John Seigler who lived at Arnold.

Ivyl and Kenneth Cunningham attended the funeral of their great uncle, Jasper N. Levins, Leonard's oldest citizen who reached 92.

Mrs. Betty Ward has returned to her home at Lubbock after sepnding several months here with her sister, Mrs. W. T. Newsome.

Grandma Miller who lives north of Pike on the Stovall old homestead is seriously ill. Her only daughter, Mrs. Lawrence Stevens of Bonham is at her bedside.

Mrs. Carrie Little has announced the marriage of her daughter, Mrs. Edna Jones to Andy Blackwell Dec. 21, by Rev. Thos. Reece. They will live on the R. R Moss land near the East Shady Grove church.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Doyle of Dulaney have a new son that has been in a Dallas hospital as the mother was critically ill of double pneumonia. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilson of Houston and other relatives have been at her bedside.

Mozelle Curtis, senior in Leonard High won the co-trophy in basketball at Savoy. Alme Smith, Billy Joe Combs and Bobby Jean Knight also of Pike are excellent players. Blue Ridge girls' champions of the County, three of the Franklin grandchildren as their best players, Mabel, Jean Boren and Joy McGuffey.

Geo. D. Galloway, 78, who died in Leonard last Monday was a cousin of J. P. Crouch. He married Miss Florence Noble, daughter of Rev. John Noble, pioneer Methodist Circuit rider of Weston. She died fourteen years ago and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Hubert Ewing of San Antonio and three grandchildren. Was a dry goods merchant in Leonard for 35 years.

Y. T. Manning of Leonard; Mrs. Stella Lewis of Luling and daughter Hazel of Oklahoma City; Dr. M. D. Fry, Dallas; Grady of Paris; Lelan and Louis of Pike; Mesdames Durward Cheeley, Jaufman; Stanford Chapman, Farmersville; George Gilmore, Pike. Friends present were Miss Catherine McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. McMurry and Everett of Pike. Mrs. Fry has lived here 68 years, coming with her parents, Wiley and Bettie Manning from Arkansas in 1873.

Carlyle Brann Roach, son of John H. and Octavia McGowan Roach, who was born at Pike Sept. 20, 1898, died at the home of his mother in Denison Friday night after an illness of heart trouble of several years. Funeral services were held at the home of his mother Sunday morning. The body was brought overland to Pike, placed beside his father who died ten years ago. Surviving are his mother, one brother Noel of Dallas, three uncles, Dr. W. J. McGowan of Paducah and S. A. McGowan of Leonard, C. L. McGowan Jr., of Pike; one aunt, Mrs. Linda Addison of Pike.

Mrs. Tom W. Perkins, Jr., and daughters, Sally Adelle and Claire Marie, of Marshall, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Tom W. Perkins, Sr., and returned home Monday.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Standley of Carrollton, Mo., are visiting at the home of their son, H. H. Standley and family at 801 North Waddill Street. H. H. Standley is manager of the Lyon-Gray Lumber Company.

Broke With Bulgaria

George Rendel

George Rendel, British minister to Bulgaria, has notified Bulgaria of the severance of British relations with that country following the Bulgarian capitulation to Germany. In a note read to Premier Bogdan Philoff announcing "the diplomatic break, Rendel warned that Bulgaria "may suffer" for her submission to German occupation.

ROLAND

By Mrs. Iva Brown

L. M. Johnson is sick.

C. Driver who has been real sick is better.

W. C. Cox and Bennie Lee Stibbens are visiting in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sauls visited relatives in Aubrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stibbens moved to McKinney.

Miss Lula Ewton spent last week visiting in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Buddy Wilmeth is up after a week's illness of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Joplin moved to McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Randell Brown of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Brown Sunday afternoon.

Woodrow Kissinger, wife and baby moved from McKinney to our community.

Little Tommy Johnson, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Covington and children motored to Durant, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Reeves and children visited relatives in Bonham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Botsford visited the former's mother Mrs. Mattie Botsford.

Winfrey Dickenson returned from a visit with his brother Raymond and family at Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ramsey of Dallas visited Mrs. Mollie Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jennings and children of Dallas visited the former's mother, Mrs. Mollie Jennings last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Cross of McKinney visited the latter's brother, Woodrow Kissinger and family Sunday.

Mrs. W. L. Renfro of Caldwell, Kas., spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. R. L. Covington and family.

Mrs. Doris Jean Hammonds spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Houston Lanier at McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welborn's twin sons spent last week with their aunt Mrs. Walter Lafon at Branch.

Bobby Lewis, Joe and R. L. Covington Jr., sons of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Covington have recovered from illness.

Buster Carter of Womble who attends Boyd High school in McKinney vitited Kenneth Welborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Collins and baby of Altoga visited George Massie and mother Mrs. J. H. Massie Monday night.

W. C. Cox returned home Thursday from a few day's visit with his mother Mrs. Clarence Ramsey in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bales and little son of Durant, Okla., visited Mrs. Bale's mother, Mrs. Kate Stibbens.

Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Burch and daughter, Miss Dean of south McKinney visited Mrs. Mollie Jennings.

Misses Sadie Lynn Hall and Elizabeth Crump visited the latter's mother Mrs. Crump of Prosper in the home of Mrs. Suttle's last week-end.

Grandmother Swatsell, the mother of Mrs. A. J. Caplinger Sr. who spent part of the winter here with Mrs. Caplinger was carried by ambulance to her home in Winnsboro.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cox received word last week that their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Avo Cox of Dallas was a patient in Baylor hospital Dallas after an appendicitis operation and is getting along fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Dow Wilmeth and children visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilmeth and grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Mayden Sunday. Mrs. Mayden is the mother of Mrs. J. W. Wilmeth with whom she makes her home. Sunday was her 91st birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cox and sons Jerry and W. C. visited Mrs. Cox's sister, Mrs. Bud Walthall of McKinney Friday. Mrs. Walthall was recently a patient in McKinney Hospital having been operated on for appendicitis but was able to be removed home Thursday.

Warns U. S. on Fires

Mayor LaGuardia

Testifying in Washington before the house public buildings committee on the recent London tour of New York fire fighters, Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia told his listeners that fire fighting equipment in U. S. cities is insufficient to combat incendiary bombs. He said London paid heavily for lack of such equipment in the first months of the war.

FROGNOT

By Mrs. Frank Byars, Cor.

Bobby Thompson visited Cleo McDonald Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Byars attended the bedside of her husband who has been in Dallas in Gaston hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Byars visited Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Byars at Wylie several days.

Jess and Toney McDonald have been having some work done on their farms lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Burle Noles of Blue Ridge visited Frank Byars while he was in a Dallas hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Byars of Wylie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Byars and family.

Frank Byars has returned home from the Gaston Hospital in Dallas where he underwent an operation.

FRISCO

Restland Memorial took part in a program given at the Frisco school Tuesday night March 11 at 7:30. There was no admission charge.

R. C. Fisher was recently honored on his 72nd birthday with a dinner at his home north of town. Those present were Robert Fisher Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Carter Fisher and daughter Mary Celista, Mrs. Johnnie Store and little daughter Amanda and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Dill of Dallas.

"Brides of yesterday and Today" was presented at the Christian church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, March 12. This entertainment was a showing of wedding gowns dated from 1878 to the present time. Music and singing were part of the program. The Woman's Missionary society sponsored the entertainment and received the proceeds.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace DeWese who have been residing in Fresno, Calif. have moved to Frisco and put in a grocery store in the building recently vacated by Mr. Wilson. Mrs. DeWese was before her marriage Miss Marcella Behrends and taught in the Frisco school. We welcome them back to Frisco.

Last Thursday evening in a quiet but impressive ceremony in the home of Rev. Bell, pastor of the Baptist church at Decatur, Miss Willie Dell Johnson became the bride of Earl Cunningham. The bride wore a spring frock of navy blue with blue and gold accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson and is a graduate of Frisco High school and Hall's business school of McKinney. Mr. Cunningham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cunningham. He is in business in Frisco where they will make their home. Friends of the couple extend best wishes for a happy married life.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Cunningham entertained with a wedding dinner Sunday at their home in Frisco honoring their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cunningham who were married February 27 in Decatur. The guest list included Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Owens and children Douglas and Billy Paul; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cunningham and family of Decatur; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reynolds and his mother of Argyle; Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pool of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson and daughters, Loreta and Edna Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis James and daughters, Johnnie Mae and Juanita and R. L. Cunningham Jr., of Frisco.

Mrs. Anna Bertrand of Dallas spent Tuesday here with friends.

Plane Blown to Bits in Crash

Only fragments of wreckage remain in the crash of a U. S. navy plane near Glenmont, Md., for an explosion immediately after the plane struck the ground blew the ship to bits. One navy aviator aboard was killed.

McDONALD

By Miss Laura Alice Scalf

Miss Doris Timmons of Rhea Mills visited Marie Kinser.

O. W. Martin of McKinney is remodeling his home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scalf visited Mr. Bells of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Drake of McDonald visited in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Drake of Grand Prairie visited A. E. Drake and wife.

Mrs. Lillie Corley of Bishop visited Mrs. T. R. Scalf and Mrs. C. O. Jenkins.

Miss Patty Sue Herndon of McKinney visited Marita Matlock.

Miss Bonita Lasater of Clearlake visited Miss Evelyn Corley here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Jenkins visited the former's parents at Melissa.

Coleman Curry and Judd Peal made a business trip to Brownwood last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peal of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Curry here.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Monk of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Hawthorne.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith of Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Orbin Elliott of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Scalf here.

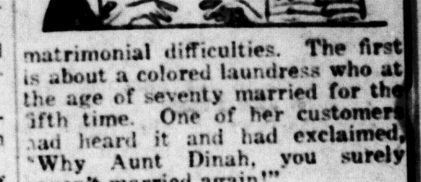
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rutledge visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rutledge of Enloe.

Clyde Gantt of Winningkoff Hulon and Burton Rutledge of Enloe; Troy Wilcox and Robe Matlock of Bishop visited Mr and Mrs. T. R. Scalf and family Tuesday night.

Will Rogers' Humorous Story

By WILL ROGERS

THE fellow that told me these two stories must have been hesitating about getting married. At least he had some kind of idea that showed he was well posted in matrimonial difficulties. The first is about a colored laundress who at the age of seventy married for the fifth time. One of her customers had heard it and had exclaimed, "Why Aunt Dinah, you surely haven't married again!"



"Yessum, honey I has. Yessum—ez often ez de Lawd takes em, so will I."

The other one is on the other side of the question. Feller says to a friend, "So your daughter's married. I expect you found it very hard to part with her."

"Hard! why between you and me I'd begun to think it was impossible."

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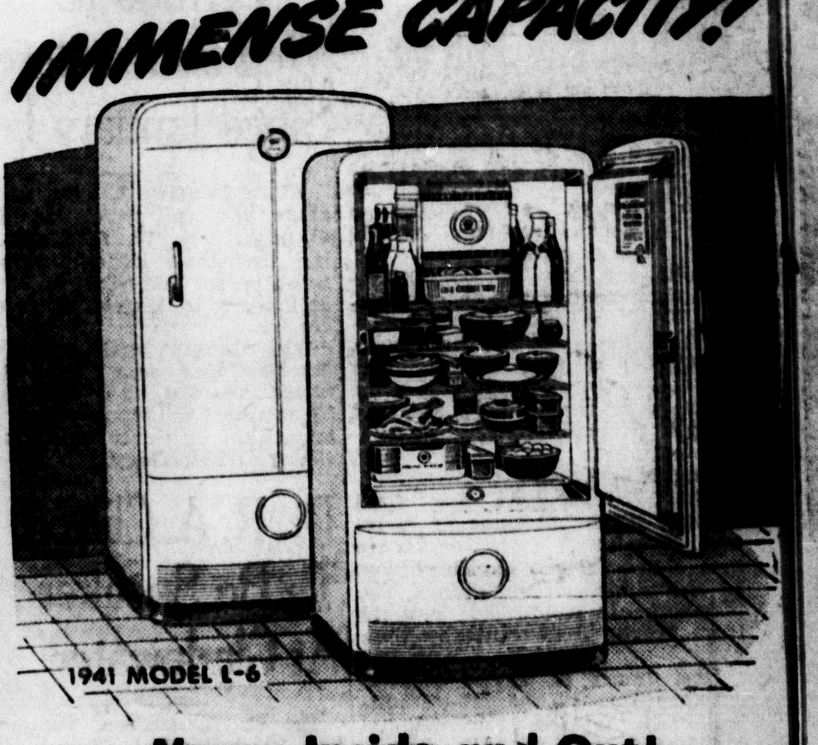

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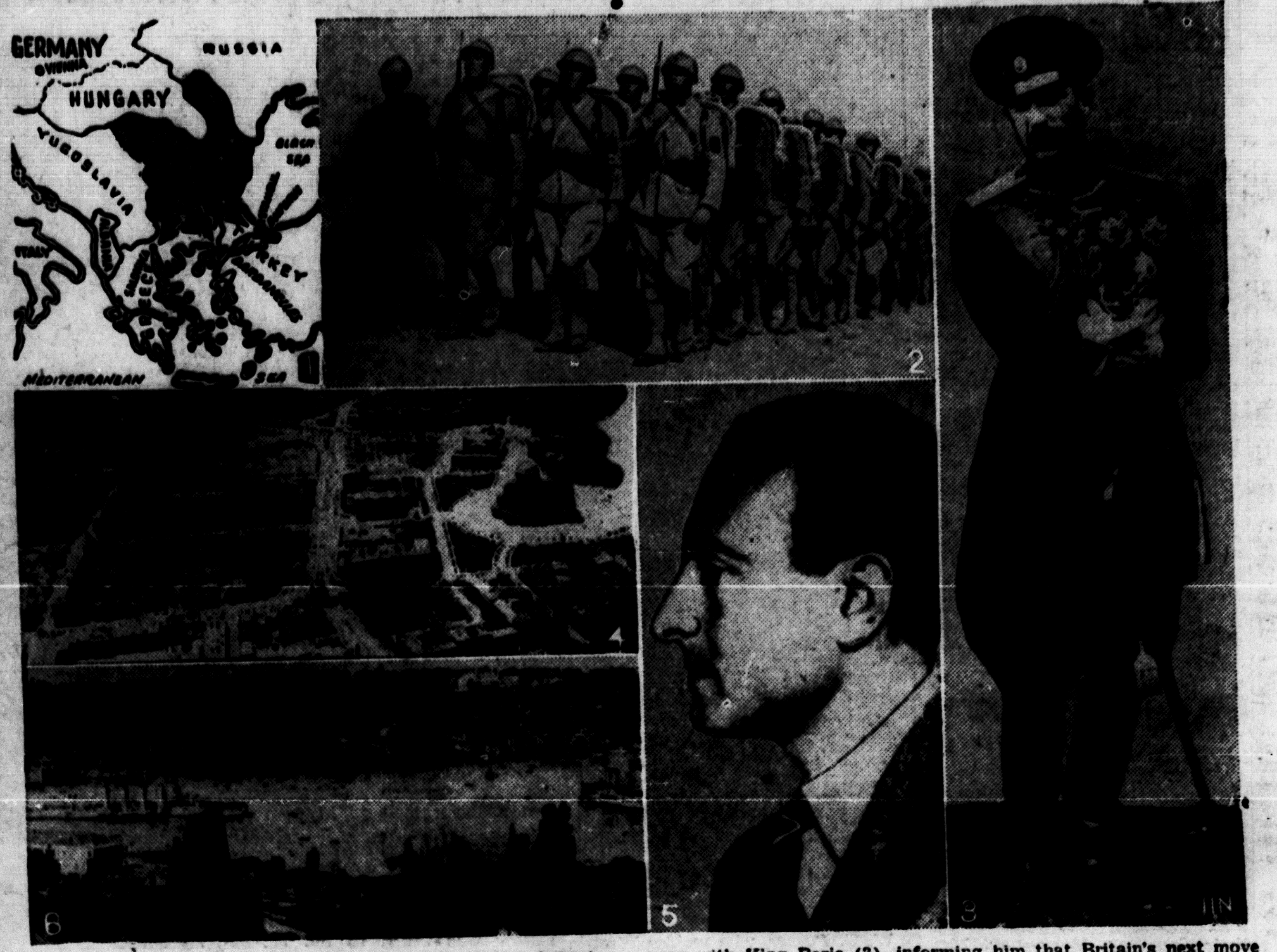
Balkans in News as Bulgaria Capitulates to Nazi Germany



World attention once again is riveted on the Balkans (1) following Germany's latest move in adding Bulgaria to the Axis lineup. Turkey, ally of Great Britain, posted warships on both sides of the Dardanelles-Bosphorus straits as other ships steamed out of Istanbul (6) to take up night-and-day patrol of the Mediterranean and Black sea entrances to the straits. Turkish troops (2) were being concentrated throughout the region of the Dardanelles. In Sofia (4), the capital of Bulgaria, Britain's minister, George Rendel, had an audience with King Boris (3), informing him that Britain's next move would be war with his country. Yugoslavia, caught in the Nazi pincers, was expected to join the Axis following conferences between Prince Paul (5), nominal ruler of the country for boy King Peter, and the German minister to Belgrade, Viktor von Heeren ● In London, Nicolas Montchiloff, Bulgarian minister, resigned in protest to the Bulgarian capitulation to Adolf Hitler. Bulgaria is the eleventh European state to lose its independence since early 1938.

Judge Suggs Is Speaker Thursday Before Selectees

In a splendid address Thursday morning, Judge Tom Suggs of the Fifty-Ninth District Court, told the eight colored Selectees, who left for Dallas shortly afterwards to be inducted into the Army, that they should realize they live in the best country in the world. He described what is meant by living under a dictator and contrasted that with the American way.

It was the usual patriotic Rally which the Jimmie Geigas American Legion Post of McKinney holds for each contingent of Collin County Selectees just before they depart for service. J. W. McKinney, Commander of the Post, was Master of Ceromonies.

Hon. Clyde Doyle, Justice of the Peace, opened the meeting with prayer.

Following Judge Suggs' address, songs were sung by the Colored Choral Society and a talk was made by Prof. Doty of the Colored School.

Hon. H. H. Neilson, Chairman of Draft Board No. 1, introduced the Selectees to their sponsorss, who will keep in touch with the boys while in service. Mr. Neilson is originator of the Collin County Friendship Club.

The meeting was held in the District Court Room and was attended by a large number of white and colored friends of the Selectees.

WIDE VARIETY OF STYLES, COLORS IN SPRING SUITS

Left, jacket dress; center, navy blue flannel nautical suit; right, dressy suit

Suits and jacket dresses are almost the first thing you think of when doing some spring shopping. This season there are a wide variety of colors and styles in these models. Ida Lupino, left above, is modeling a smart dress which features the fitted peplum jacket. ● The little coat has a long collar which turns back to form tabs. The full skirt of blue wool is the same color as the jacket. Joan Leslie, center, has chosen a nautical mode as her first suit of the season. The double-breasted jacket is finished with gold starred buttons and gold bullion thread on the sleeve. A navy felt beret is set at the back of the pompadour. The dressy suit, right, is made of deep Parma violet purple wool, with a lighter shade of taffeta used for the bodice of the dress and lining of the bolero. Both jacket and skirt are light wool. The frock may be worn with or without the jacket.

BISHOP

By Mrs. Bertha Thomas

Little Miss Margie Tyler spent one night recently with her grandmother Tyler of McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Math Love of Higgins visited Mr. and Mrs. Jonah Love Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Oscar Morrison and little daughter Barnell, Mrs. Jonah Love and little son, Ray were shopping in Dallas, Monday.

Miss Madeline Donaldson of McKinney spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Claude Donaldson.

Sidney Pruitt, wife and children, Lavada, Wanda Lee and Sidney Mac of Mt. Zion were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pruitt.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Evans Monday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas, J. C. Thomas, Rev. I. D. Wallace and son Gerald, Fay Hardin and W. B. Evans.

A birthday dinner honoring the 31st birthday of Mrs. Sidney Pruitt and the 17th birthday of Hulon Smith was given in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Pruitt of Mt. Zion Sunday. Guests for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pruitt and daughter Waldrine, J. D. Pruitt and Miss Waldrine Turner of McKinney. Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Ritter and little daughter Elizabeth Ann of McKinney; Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Smith and son Jerry of Lowery Crossing. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Smith and children Wilma, Hulon and Buster of Mt. Zion. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Thomas and children, Betty Jean, Winnie Lee and Leonard Ray.

Howard F. Elkins of this city, but at present working at Brownfield, Texas, spent the past week-end at Carlsbad, N. M., where he visited the world famous Carlsbad Caverns.

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Mrs. Boyd Morgan, who had the misfortune of falling several weeks ago and fracturing her hip, and who has been removed to her home, Southeast of McKinney, continues about the same. Her many friends throughout the city and county wish for her early recovery to her usual good health again.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Houston celebrated their sixty-first wedding anniversary at their home at Wylie. They are natives of Liberty Grove community, Dallas County, where they resided until moving to Wylie twenty-two years ago. All eight of their children were present at the celebration, together with twenty grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

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Dr. and Mrs. Dudley Wysong are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby boy, which arrived at the McKinney City Hospital Friday morning. Both the mother and baby are doing well, hospital attendants reported. Dr. Wysong is associated with his father, Dr. W. S. Wysong and brothers Dr. Scott Wysong and Dr. Charles Wysong in the Wysong Clinic in this city.

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CHAMBERSVILLE

By Mrs. A. C. Anderson

Mrs. Amos Scribner is ill.

John Mugg of Weston is assessing taxes.

Several of the farmers are setting out onions and cabbages.

Aubrey Burton of Littlefield is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. G. E. Craft is visiting her children in Dallas.

A. B. Hughes spent a few days in Dallas last week.

Harold Frazier, wife and daughter Betty Ruth were guests of R. C. Roberts and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clutts and daughter of Celina visited Elbert Edmonds and wife Sunday.

Miss Ruth Green spent the week-end with her parents at White Rock.

P. F. Pittman of Fort Sam Houston visited his parents recently.

Mrs. Charley Jordan returned to her home Sunday after a visit at Melissa.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Thompson of McKinney spent Sunday with Mrs. W. D. Thompson.

Louis Cox and wife visited Charley Wilson and wife at Wylie.

Homer Ashmore and wife and his mother of Anna visited Fred Robison and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crawford and family spent the week-end with relatives at Garland.

Harry Drury and son Billy of Blue Ridge visited Mrs. J. K. Drury.

Miss Claudia Hunter of NTSTC Denton, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Caldwell and children spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dickerson.

Winfrey Dickenson has returned from a visit to Houston with his brother, Raymond Dickenson and wife.

C. L. Nixon and daughter Ouida visited their mother and grandmother Mrs. Ira Nixon of Weston, Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Wallen has been attending the bedside of her father, Rev. G. C. Ford of McKinney. Rev. Ford is recovering from a serious illness.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Robison were Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Jordan and family of Plano and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Lawson and daughter of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mell and children and Miss Virginia Priest of Austin spent the week-end with Mrs. A. L. Priest and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Priest.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Pittman and daughters Ella Ruth and Mrs. Clarence Cox and W. E. Price visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Price of Bryan.

Mrs. Fred Robison and daughter Mrs. I. D. Burton and Aubrey Burton were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Roberts of McKinney.

Mrs. I. D. Burton and children, Mrs. Bill Billings and baby and Aubrey Burton of Littlefield visited in Dallas Saturday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Harper and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCluskey.

Miss Mae Beth Thompson of Austin spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Thompson. Mae Beth has accepted a secretarial position with the Western Auto company in Austin.

Large crowds are attending the basketball tournament at the gymnasium here. The teams participating are: Melissa, Lovejoy, Culleoka, Weston, Celina, McKinney, White Rock and Chambersville.

Mrs. Elbert Edmonds entertained with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday honoring Mrs. Andrew Edmonds. Refreshments of Sandwiches, Cake and hot chocolate were passed to Mesdames Bud Moses, Trab Burton, Bobby Baxter, Virgil Chandler, Buddie Wilmeth, Lewis Cox, M. F. Welborn, Fred Robison, Homer Ashmore, Woody Herron, Joe Day, C. L. Nixon, Tom Judd, Edmonds, Clara Hume, S. W. Loftice, Isaac Day, Jesse Pell, Daniel Duvall, Bill Billings, Irene Halliburton, Otto Loftice, Lee Combs, A. C. Anderson and Miss Carrie Edmonds and the honoree, Mrs. Andrew Edmonds.

BRANCH

By Mrs. L. W. Lafon, Cor.

Walter Lafon visited Willis Lafon and wife at San Antonio.

Miss Jaquetta Sanders spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. Paul Tombs at Roland.

Mrs. Fannie Bell recently visited her sister, Mrs. Ella Farris at Commerce.

Mrs. Gaylen McElroy of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Barnes.

John Willis, Olan, Nolan Welborn of Roland visited recently with Walter Lafon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Newel of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. Perry Reeder Saturday night.

Mrs. Bertha Goodman of Clovis, N. Nexico, is visiting her sister Mrs. B. W. Welborn.

Miss Lorene and Eddie Moore of Dallas visited Mrs. Annie Nickerson and children.

Miss Effie Commons who has been ill for several months is improving.

Little Sadie Welborn of San Antonio is here visiting her grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Welborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Barnes and children of McKinney visited J. M. Dennis and wife last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hinegar are the proud parents of a baby boy. He has been named Reginald Anthan.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Hankey and children of Princeton visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Trammel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Lafon and son of Carrollton visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Lafon Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mabe of Gainesville spent the week-end here with her father A. B. Welborn who has been ill for several months.

Mrs. Cecil Collier and daughter Avis of Fort Worth, Mrs. R. Crumpler, Mr. Phillips of Wichita Falls visited Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Welborn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Jeffcoat and daughter, Miss Oesa Jeffcoat, of Snow Hill, visited her brother, G. H. Reeves.

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H. E. Roberts of Denton was a guest one day this week of his brother, Pat. N. Roberts, wife and children in this city.

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E. L. Sherrill, well-known and experienced meat market proprietor, has accepted a position with the Economy Store in this city, where he will be in charge of the meat market. He invites his friends to call on him in his new place of business, where he promises prompt, courteous service at all times. Jesse Burton is owner of the Economy Store, while Grady Cooper is Store Manager.

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Mrs. R. B. White, Mr. and Mrs. Cemon Lacy and little daughter, Martha Louise, and Mrs. James Arnold and little son, Benny Carl, were in Decatur Tuesday afternoon visiting Mrs. White's sister, Mrs. R. B. Perryman, of Nocona, a patient in a Decatur Hospital. Mrs. Perryman is recovering from an operation performed two weeks ago. Mrs. Lacy and Mrs. Arnold are daughters of Mrs. White, and nieces of Mrs. Perryman.

Secretary Of Texas Baptists Resigns Office

Dr. R. C. Campbell, Executive Secretary of the Executive Board of the Baptist General Convention of Texas since 1936, resigned Tuesday to accept the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Columbia, S. C., one of the largest Baptist churches of the South.

A successor to Dr. Campbell will be elected March 17 by the eighty-eight members of the Executive Board.

This is the second time Dr. Campbell has resigned during the five years of his office. In February, 1938, he tendered his resignation to accept the pulpit of the Immanuel Baptist Church of Little Rock, Ark.

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Former Re-Election Unaninous.

When the executive board met to decide on a successor no member offered a nomination. Then Dr. George W. Truett nominated Dr. Campbell for re-election and his election was unanimous. Dr. J. H. Pace, president of the board called upon 200 visitors to vote and they voted unanimously for his re-election.

After several days of consultation with officials of the Arkansas church Dr. Campbell decided to accept the re-election.

During the five years of Dr. Campbell's office four new departments of work were added to the general convention program and several world-wide movements were started.

Evangelistic Emphasis.

Dr. Campbell launched the evangelistic emphasis among the churches of Texas which has since spread all over the world, Baptists said.

Miss Rena Roemmele of Houston spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. F. J. Roemmele and sister, Miss Etta in McKinney.

Mate No. 7 Poisoned

Mrs. Emma Hepperman

Accused of the poisoning of her seventh husband, Mrs. Emma Hepperman, 46, above, goes on trial in circuit court at Union, Mo., at the new term beginning March 10. Mrs. Hepperman met Tony Hepperman, 53-year-old Wentzville, Mo., farmer, through an employment want ad. Six weeks after marrying her, he died. An autopsy revealed arsenic poisoning as the cause of death, say police. Exhumation of the body of the woman's sixth husband, Aloysius Schneider, revealed the presence of arsenic in his body. Of the five previous husbands, three died mysteriously between 1923 and 1933 with attending physicians reporting symptoms of arsenic poisoning in each.

Soldiers Get 30,000 Pounds Of Butter From Cabell's, Inc.

Several thousand soldiers in six army camps of Texas are enjoying butter manufactured in McKinney, according to Earle Cabell, General Manager of Cabell's, Inc., of this city. Mr. Cabell says that the local plant was awarded the contract to supply soldiers in these six camps with 30,000 pounds of butter during March, and that two shipments already had been made from McKinney.

Camps being supplied during the month include Randolph Field, Brooks Field and Kelly Field, all at San Antonio; the Air Corps Advanced Flying School of San Angelo, Fort D. A. Russell at Marfa and Fort Clark at Spafford.

These contracts are let by the government to the lowest bidder on butter and other foodstuffs, Mr. Cabell says. Shipments will go to each of the camps twice each week, the first having left here February 28.

Mr. Cabell says the awarding of this huge contract to the McKinney plant has resulted in a raise in the price of cream and milk, paid out to the farmers and dairymen of Collin County and North Texas and that the price paid for these products by Cabell's at this time is perhaps the highest in the State.

FSA To Extend Loans To Small Collin Farmers

The Farm Security Administration is preparing to extend its rehabilitation loan program to more small farmers in Collin County, Rural Supervisor Pat N. Roberts has announced.

"These loans are made to help farmers to stay in the land and do a better job of farming," Mr. Roberts said." Livestock and equipment, food, feed, seed, and fertilizer are some of the things which are included in FSA loans in addition to general crop production.

"Any farmer, no matter whether he is a tenant or owner, is eleigible for an FSA loan," he explained, "if he has a family-size farm on which he is now located or can find one, and can work out a farm plan to repay the loan over a period as long as five years." Loans are made only to farmers who cannot get the required financing from any other source.

The FSA supervisor said that this year Collin County farmers have been slower to take advantage of the FSA's loan service and that he wanted "every farmer in need of this assistance to call at his office before the season becomes too far advanced." The FSA office is located at 207 Abernathy Building McKinney.

R. E. Crockett spent a few hours in McKinney Wednesday as he was returning home from Fort Smith, Ark., where he had been attending the funeral of his aged mother, Mrs. John Crockett. While in the city he visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Elkins, he being their son-in-law. He and his family reside in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitzhugh Newsome, Jr., of Dallas spent the week-end with their parents here.

Mrs. P. S. Czarowitz and sons of Bryan, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wiley McKinney.

UNCLE JAKE SEZ
SOAP

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T' heer sum self-made men talk they crawled t' a baby show t' win first prize.

Don't be absent-minded. 'Member th' feller what turned on his wife an' kissed th' ignition.

I AIN'T no hand t' go in fer polytickin' but I shore am agin chargin' th' fellers in army trainin' camps in Texas $5 fer fishin' in th' gulf waters like th' bill now 'fore th' Legislature calls fer. Innything we kin do here in Texas t' maik th' visitors yeer o' army life more enjoyable like oter be dune an' shorely we oter not charge 'em a $5 license fee t' go fishin' mebbe so once a week.

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At th' saim time we oter charge th' rich fellers what cum down frum th' North an' East t' kill our deer an' turkey their fair share t' help th' Game, Fish & Oyster Commisshun operate. Most o' these fellers I has met air anxious an' willin' t' pay their share. They is good sportsmen an' we want 'em as visitors.

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I ain't in favor either o' maikin' boys an' gals under 16 yeers old pay fer th' privilege o' fishin'. Boys don't git in inny meanness settin' down on a creek bank catchin' grasshoppers an' tryin' t' catch sum fish. I'd like t' see every boy in Texas go fishin' at least twice a week. T' my way o' thinkin' fishin' is our best sport. Ya kin git better acquainted with a feller fishin' with him one day then ya cud otherwise in a yeer.

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A man's real character crops out on a fishin' or huntin' trip. If he's a selfish bird you'll find it out 'fore ya git yer campin' stuff unpacked. If he's a chisler you'll find it out th' first day whin you'll see him tryin' t' pick th' easy jobs 'round th' camp. You've seen th' type I mean. He'll go out t' russle wood an' set down an' wait until th' others has brought in big loads an' then he'll trapsey in with a small arm full o' sticks.

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Show me a hunter or fisherman what always does his share o' th' wurk, observes th' game laws an' respects th' property an' rights o' th' farmers or cattlemen where he is huntin' an' I'll show ya a good citizen whin he's back in his home town.

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I'm in favor o' givein' th' Game, Fish & Oyster Commisshun fellers all th' money we kin spare t' help protect an' increase th' wildlife in Texas. It's one o' th' greatest things we has in this state an' unless we all join in an' help our deer an' wild turkeys will go th' way o' th' antelope an' plover an' prairie chickens.

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Our fine gulf fishin' an' duck huntin' brings miny visitors int' th' state t' spind money what finally helps all of us. Stockin' inland streams will guarantee good fishin' fer us old roosters now an' better fishin' fer our children an' their children in yeers t' cum.

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Fer yeers I has fought th' best I knowed how t' keep th' game commisshun outta politicks. I figger a game warden oter know what he's doin' an' have enuff sense t' advise farmers an' others what t' do t' help protect wildlife. Not jist a policeman t' arrest folks whin they has caught too miny fish or killed too miny birds. Inny ten-yeer-old kid what kin count t' twinty cud do that.

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Yep, th' warden shud be a feller what has studied game conservashun an' git his job on his merits t' help th' good wurk 'long an' not how miny votes he kin git or how much money his relatives mought have put in th' campain chest.

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Every good sportsman oter give more thought 'bout th' wurk o' our game commisshun. They oter be more interested in our game laws insted o' taikin' th' "let George do it" attitude.

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If ya think th' bill now 'fore th' Legislature is OK let yer Representative or Senator know yer views. If ya think it oter be aminded in inny way rite an' tell him.

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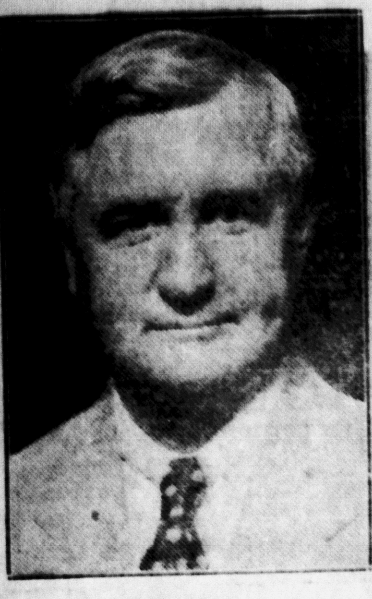
Jesse Jones

Jack Garner

Sam Rayburn

"Dutch" Meyer

C. R. Smith

State Gains Nationwide Publicity Through Personality Sketches by Top-flight Authors

The Lone Star state has been "discovered" by the writers of America and has become an all-star attraction for the reading public of the rest of the United States.

The eyes of the nation have been focused upon Texas, upon prominent Texans and upon Texas towns and institutions to a greater extent within the last 18 months than for many years. The result has been millions of dollars worth of favorable publicity for the state.

The vanguard of this nationwide Texas publicity has been personality articles, through which the life stories of four prominent Texans have been told, with pictures, through the pages of The Saturday Evening Post. In addition, the Post, with more than 3,300,000 circulation each week has acquainted America with other highlights of Texas through sports articles, fiction stories and writings by Texas authors.

In the first two months of this year the Post gave prominence to the personality stories of two Texans, C. R. Smith, one of Texas' best known airmen and president of American Airlines and Speaker Sam Rayburn; a mystery story which concludes on March 8 by George Sessions Perry; a Texan and a fiction serial by Allen R. Bosworth, another Texan.

The article on Smith, who started life on the wrong side of the tracks and has become one of the nation's leading aviation executives was written by Jack Alexander, a recognized expert on writing profiles and whose work is featured regularly in the Post. Sam Rayburn was presented to America through the pens of Joseph Alsop and Robert Kintner, noted Washington correspondents.

It took two articles in the Post to cover the life and activities of Jesse Jones, and in addition the Post based an editorial upon the material which writer Samuel Lubell put together from a considerable amount of research.

Previously Jack Garner's personality had been featured in the pages of the Post and his affection for Texas became as widely known as his other characteristics.

Amon Carter is another Texan who has "made" the Post. His name and his accomplishments pop up in Post pages frequently, having been mentioned in connection with the articles on Garner and Smith and in another article with Texas background having to do with Silliman Evans, former Texas newspaperman.

In addition to these personality articles the fame of Texas has been spread in the stories about Billy Rose and an article on the T. C. U. football team and Coach Meyer as well as in fiction stories and the writings by a number of Texas authors who have reached the top with their work in America's top flight magazine.

Vocational Boys Present Lions Program

Two McKinney High School Vocational students "got the best" of the large gathering of prominent McKinney business men who attended the weekly Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. The boys, Jack Miller and Leon Robinson, conducted an "Information Please" program, propounding questions to the Lions on subjects pertaining to agriculture, animal husbandry and facts about Collin County.

Each Lion was called upon in turn and those who failed to answer the questions correctly were forced to pay a "fine." The program was not only entertaining, but was very enlightening.

During the meal, which was served by the ladies of the First Methodist Church, where the meeting was held, excellent music was furnished by four other High School students, Linus Dabney, Ray Sorrell, R. B. Sullivan and Noel Gray, who constitute a fine stringed quartet.

J. T. Rollins, Chairman of the Committee for this luncheon, presided. J. H. Merritt was Co-Chairman. W. L. Glazener is President of the Lions Club of McKinney.

Mrs. G. G. Jetton of Westminster has been visiting her daughter Mrs. J. C. Stewart here this week.

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Mrs. Bernard Neal, to whom was born a baby boy a few days ago at McKinney City Hospital, was taken home to Blue Ridge Friday. Both Mother and baby are doing well.

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Homemaking Class Exhibit By Girls' Resident Center

Much interest is being shown throughout the city in the exhibit in the windows of the McKinney Public Library by the girls of the N. Y. A. Resident Center in this city. A large sign in the center of the scene explains the exhibit: "Home And Class Projects made by the N. Y. A. girls of the Resident Center."

Directed by Pauline Slater, Vocational Homemaking Teacher, and Dorothy McFerrin, Supervisor, these talented young girls have proved their skill in the making of twine rugs, cross-stitched scarf, wood-burned plaque, slip, hemstitched scarf, print dresses, pastell still life, pajamas, house coat, skirt and other articles, all of which is on display at the Library.

Girls having articles in the display include: Mertie Lee Hudson, Lema Price, Mildred Russell, Hixie V. Foreman, Ava Nell Marshall, Mary Bob Martin, Camille Henson, Helen Benton, Ruth Hackler, Gladys Cook, Dorothy Byrd, Mattie Downs and Dorothy Marie Lawson. Some of these girls have more than one exhibit.

The display, well arranged and showing the beautiful articles made by these talented girls, is unusually attractive and is commanding the attention of McKinneyites and visitors in the city.

Classes, other than the Homemaking class which made the above display, taught in the N. Y. A. Resident Center, are Health, taught by Miss Norton of the Health Unit, and English, taught by Miss Juanita Craft.

Mesdames Slater and McFerrin, as well as the Librarian, Mrs. Clyde Doyle, cordially invite everyone to visit the Library and see this commendable display made by the girls of the local N. Y. A. Resident Center.

Kerby Garrett of Camp Bowie spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Garrett.

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A. M. Quattlebaum, of Dallas, but formerly of this city and county, is carrying advertising in the Daily Courier-Gazette and the Weekly Democrat-Gazette, announcing that he will have a Silk and Nylon Invisible hosiery repair shop in McKinney. The shop will be located at the Chicago Store here and will be in charge of Mrs. J. A. Roller, experienced in this line of hose repairing. Mr. Quattlebaum will be remembered in this county, where he lived for some twenty years, being Manager of a gin at Rhea's Mill. He has been living in Dallas for some time. Mr. Quattlebaum was visiting in the city Monday in the interest of his line of work and renewed many acquaintances while here. We were pleased to have him call at our office.

Former McKinney Young Man Goes To Washington

Architect R. M. Strode, former graduate of McKinney High School, has been called to Washington as specialist on employment office streamlining, Patrick D. Moreland, Texas Unemployment Compensation Commissioner, has announced.

"With the growing use of employment offices in connection with the defense program, more attention is being paid to the greater efficiency to be realized by layout of individual premises," Mr. Moreland explained. "Mr. Strode is an expert on office arrangement to increase efficiency. We hate to lose him, but when a young man has done as good a job as he has, he is entitled to promotion."

Mr. Strode was graduated in architecture from Texas A. & M. in 1929. He is now 33 years of age. He is the son of Mrs. Annie Strode, formerly of McKinney and now living in College Station. After leaving A. and M. he practiced architecture in Amarillo. He has been Premises Supervisor of the Texas State Employment Service since 1937.

Byron Mitchell, Director of the Texas State Employment Service, stated that Mr. Strode was the only man in governmental work experienced in employment security procedure and architecture and the effects of office layout planning on speeding up service.

"Mr. Strode's call to Washington is recognition of his unusual work in streamlining units of the Texas State Employment Service for quicker placement of job-seekers," Mitchell explained.

His work included planning everything from the ventilation and lighting in each Texas office to the layout of facilities for reception of the thousands who use the Employment Service.

In his new work he will be consultant on layout problems for some 1,500 employment offices throughout the nation, Commissioner Moreland said.

The title of the new position is "Public Employment Office Specialist." Mr. Strode will be in the Bureau of Employment Security. He began his new work March 3.

Funeral Held Thursday For Mrs. Lane, 20

Funeral services of Mrs. Joy Marie Lane, of Denison, who died Tuesday night at a hospital in that city, were held Thursday afternoon. The service was conducted at 2 o'clock at the Baptist Church in Weston, of which the deceased was an active member and the body was brought to McKinney by the Crouch Funeral Home and interment took place in Pecan Grove Cemetery. Rev. J. R. Hilger of Greenville conducted the service.

Mrs. Lane, who was 20 years old, was formerly Miss Joy Marie Sharber and was the daughter of F. C. and Ruth Lewis Sharber. She is survived by her parents, one sister, Dorothy Jane Sharber, and her husband, Roy Lane. The family came from the Weston community, but Mr. and Mrs. Lane had been living in Denison for quite a while before her death.

B. F. McEachern, graduate of the Atlanta College of Pharmacy at Atlanta, Ga., is now associated with the Smith Drug Company in McKinney. He came here from Fort Worth. He will be pleased to meet McKinney citizens at this McKinney Drug firm.

27 Indictments Returned By Grand Jurors

In session only two and a half days this week, the Grand Jurors completed their second session of the January term Wednesday by returning 27 indictments, making a total for the entire term of 112 true bills, 85 having been returned the first week of this term. This is an exceptionally large number and shows the jurors were "exceedingly busy.

The January term of the District Court itself will end Saturday March 8, and the next term will convene in McKinney April 28, being known as the April term.

Indictments returned this week by the Grand Jurors included the following: Driving while intoxicated, 8; forgery, 2; theft over $50.00 in value, 3; theft of turkeys, 1; assault to murder, 1; burglary, 6; misdemeanors, 4, and wife and child desertion, 2.

Ula Saunders Is Home From Visit To Beaumont, Tex.

Ula Saunders, prominent McKinney business man, who is Secretary of Collin County Draft Board No. 2, drove to Beaumont and spent the week-end with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Therman Henderson and their daughter, Mary Lou. Mrs. Ula Saunders has been visiting her daughter in Beaumont for several weeks and will return home within a few days.

Mr. Henderson, who is a refrigeration and ventilation expert, now employed by the Pennsylvania Shipyards at Beaumont, will leave for Washington shortly on company business. His wife and baby daughter will accompany him.

County School Elections Will Be Held Apr. 5

Much interest is being shown in the forthcoming County School Trustee Election to be held on April 5. At that time voters will elect one Trustee-at-Large for the entire county, two for each of Commissioner's Precincts 3 and 4, and one trustee for each of the ninety common school districts in the county and two for each of the fifteen independent districts.

Those desiring to be candidates must file their names in County School Superintendent J. W. Moseley's office in McKinney at least ten days prior to the election, or by March 26 at the latest.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Herndon of near Princeton are rejoicing over the birth of a fine baby girl at midnight Friday at the McKinney City Hospital. Both Mother and baby are reported doing well.

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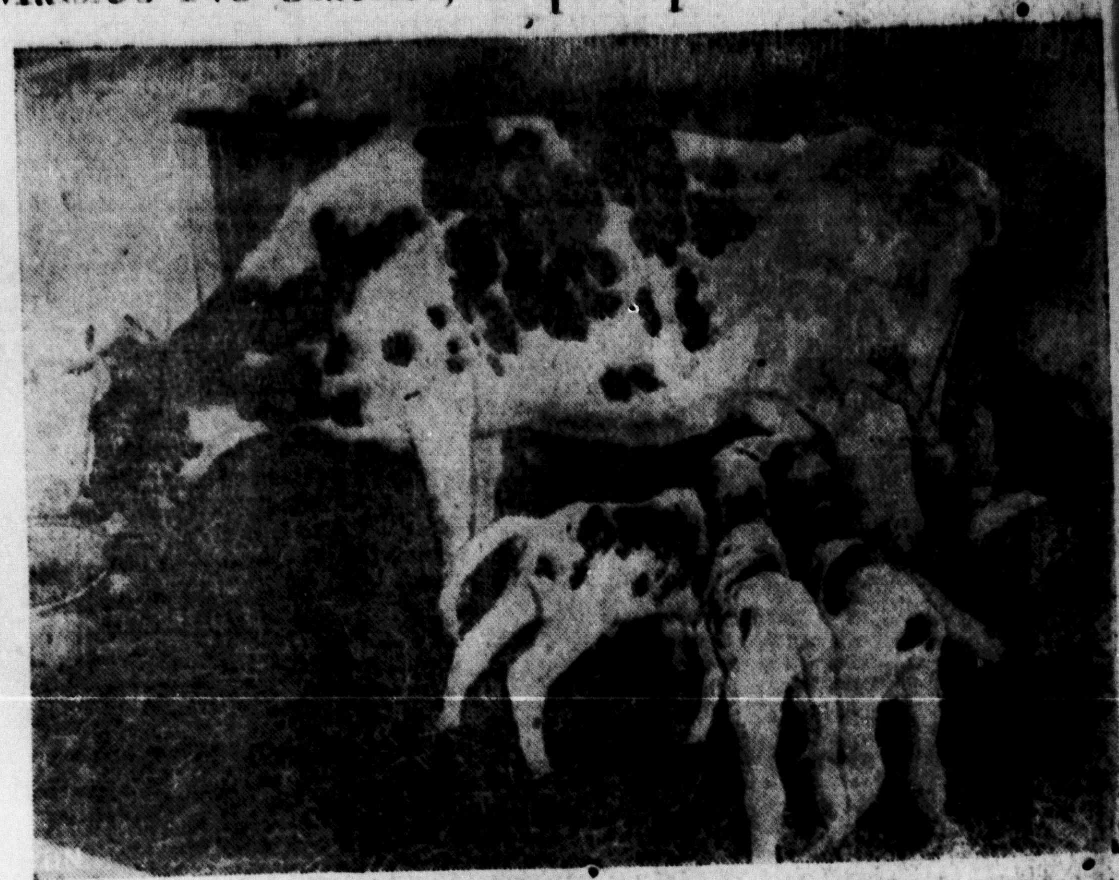
The Anna Senior class has elected its favorites as follows: Sallie Jo Hale, most beautiful girl; C. L. Adams, most handsome boy; Betty Jane Hagin, most popular girl; Ross Baldwin, most popular boy; Dorothy Medcalf, most studious girl; Jack Lair, most studious boy; Johnnie Mae Hester, best all-around girl; Roy Craighead Jr., best all-around boy; Iva Pearl Davis, most athletic girl; J. C. Oneal, most athletic boy.

Churchill, Refugee Leaders

Prime Minister Winston Churchill is pictured, center, in London with two of Britain's most famous "refugee" allied leaders, General Wladyslaw Sikorski, left, head of the Polish forces, and General Charles De Gaulle, commander of the Free French forces. The group was inspecting a new type heavy tank when the picture was taken.

Maisie's No Slacker, Steps Up Production, Too


Since everybody seems to be stepping up production these [illegible] cow owned by a Lindenhurst, L. [illegible], gave birth to triplet calves which [illegible] event.

Both Legs Broken When Hit By Car

W. G. Purser, who resides West of Plano, was hit by a passing car about 7 o'clock Friday evening, February 21, on Highway 75, just South of Roller stop. Both legs were broken—one being broken in three places.

Mr. Purser, accompanied by Dad Decker, were enroute home from Dallas, where they had taken a truck load of hogs to market. Their car ran off the paved road and stalled. Mr. Purser was pushing the car, assisting in getting it back on the pavement, when a car driven by Horace Bolin hit him.

Purser was taken to the McKinney City Hospital in the Harrington Funeral Home ambulance.—Star-Courier.

Tom Scott and Henry Barlow are home after a two days' visit to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

Mrs. Sally Kerr Lively of Amarillo, Vincent Cunningham of Abernathy and Will and Sam Olinger of Garland were guests of Mrs. J. H. Ferguson Wednesday. They came here to attend the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. F. M. Mathews.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hight spent the week-end in Oklahoma City visiting their son, Carlisle Hight, wife and daughter, and their daughter, Miss Kathryn Hight. Miss Kathryn is a student in Oklahoma University at Norman.

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Mrs. John Vanbeavers of Blue Ridge is at the Methodist hospital in Dallas for a major operation. Frank Byars of Blue Ridge has been brought home from the Baylor Hospital at Dallas following an operation.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Phillips and family have moved to Celina where Mr. Phillips is emloyed by the Helms funeral home. Glen Phillips, whose wife teaches at Alla, is working for the Hardwicke-Etter Company in Sherman.

Opportunities Made Known By Civil Service

Civil service examinations for the positions described below were announced by the United States Civil Service Commission today. Applications will be accepted at the Commission's Washington office not later than the closing dates specified. The salaries are subject to a 3 1-2 percent retirement deduction.

Research chemist, any specialized branch, with salaries ranging from $2,600 to $5,600 a year. Completion of a 4-year college course with major study in chemistry or chemical engineering is required, as well as responsible professional experience in chemical investigative work. Qualified persons with experience involving the use of recently developed specialized techniques in chemical research are urged to apply at once. Applications will be rated as received until December 31, 1941.

Associate entomologist in taxonomy, $3,200 a year, Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, Department of Agriculture. A 4-year college course with major study in entomology is required. Applicants must also have completed 3 years of research experience or of graduate study in taxonomy of the aculeate Hymenoptera. Applications must be on file not later than April 10, 1941.

Construction inspection coordinator, $3,800 a year, United States Maritime Commission. Applicants may qualify in three optional branches: Hull, machinery, and electrical. Practical experience of at least journeyman mechanic grade on the construction of ocean-going vessels is required as well as 4 years of experience in supervisory capacity. Applications will be rated as received until further notice.

Student nurse, $288 a year, including quarters subsistence, laundry, and medical attention. Approximately 50 students will be enrolled on September 1, 1941 in the training course at the St. Elizabeths Hospital School of Nursing, Washington, D. C. Graduation from an accredited high school giving a 4-year course which included certain subjects is required. Applicants must have reached their eighteenth but not have passed their thirtieth birthday. Applications must be filed not later than April 7, 1921.

Full information as to the requirements for these examinations, and application forms, may be obtained from E. P. Skelton, Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at the Post Office in this city, or from the Secretary of the Board of U. S. Civil Service Examiners, at any first or second-class post office.

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Morris Saunders, (colored), 10 years old, was operated on at the City Hospital Friday morning.

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COTTAGE HILL

By Mrs. J. B. Tucker, Cor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shields and sons spent Sunday with W. L. Harris and family of Alla.

Mrs. J. A. Marks visited her sister, Mrs. J. P. Smith at Celina.

Albert Tucker of Kenefic, Okla., visited his brother, J. P. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hays Jr., and baby spent last week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hays Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reneau of Dallas spent the week-end with V. Reneau, wife and Esther Louise.

Mrs. Will Evans of Coleman, Okla., is visiting her sisters, Miss Met Smith and Mrs. V. Reneau and other relatives.

R. O. Melton, wife and daughter Glenda Gayle visited Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagwill for a few days.

Ardell Melton and wife spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Johnson and family at Aubrey.

Mr. and Mrs. Coyt Marks spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Less Thomasson. Mrs. Thomasson is a sister of Mrs. Marks and has been ill several days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tucker and daughter Frances and Merlin Ray Dickerson and Grady Ray Woods visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dickerson and family of Midlothian.

Luther Francis, wife and daughter Velma Ruth; Wylie Frances, wife and son Martin Guynne spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips of Gunter. Mrs. Phillips honored her father F. W. Francis with a birthday dinner and invited his brothers and sisters, Zelner and Dona Francis.

McKinney D. G. Co. Plans Observance Of Hospital Week

Beginning Monday, March 10, and continuing through the week, the McKinney Dry Goods Company, of which Sam Reichman is Manager, is observing City Hospital Week, by giving ten per cent of the sales in the store to the Women's Hospital Auxiliary. At the time a purchase is made, cash or charge, the purchaser is asked to sign the sales slip and ask the clerk to give the Auxiliary credit for the particular purchase. The Auxiliary will not receive credit unless the sales ticket is signed. At the end of the week, or six-day period, the signed sales slips will be totaled and given to the Auxiliary along with ten per cent cash of the sales so designated.

Mr. Reichman has given this percentage from a week's sale on two or more previous occasions for the local Hospital Auxiliary and the amount has always been a neat sum. Miss Billie Wilcox is president of the Auxiliary and is anxious for a good response to same at this time.

Duart Permanent Wave Machine At Basement Shop

Jack Warden, owner and manager of the Basement Beauty and Barber Shop, announces the purchase of a new Duart Permanent Wave Machine for the Basement Beauty Shop in this City.

In discussing this new permanent wave machine, the latest and most modern, Mr. Warden explains that no two curls on the head contain exactly the same amount of hair. "Therefore, each curl absorbs a different amount of solution and requires a different amount of heat to bring its temperature into the 212 degree waving zone.

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"Try one and enjoy this new permanent wave," suggests Mr. Warden. He invites the ladies of McKinney and community to visit the Basement Shop, inspect the new Duart machine and enjoy one of the splendid waves it gives.

Prosper Honor Roll Announced

The Honor Roll for the first period of the Second Semester of the Prosper High School has just been announced by the School Superintendent.

In the Seventh Grade, Mary Anna Couser, Ina Ruth Layman and Shirley Porter earned positions on the Honor Roll. The Roll in the other grades were: Eighth, Lovetta Smith; Ninth, Elizabeth Anne Nevins and J. E. Robison, Jr.; Tenth, Barbara Malone, and Eleventh, Leonard Krauss.

It is quite a distinction to earn a position on the Honor Roll, the students being required to make a certain grade in their studies, and the children work very hard to gain the goal.

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Annual Style Revue Given At Ritz Theater

That McKinney is proud of it's splendid up-to-date stores, shops and businesses was shown by the large crowd at the Ritz Theater Thursday night to witness McKinney's annual Spring Style Show. For, regardless of the cold drizzling rain, they practically packed the theater and from the moment the style revue started they were well repaid for coming.

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Latest Styles Paraded.

Everyone agreed it was one of the finest Style Shows ever held in this city. One hundred or more young women and men, boys and girls, paraded across the stage to model Dame Fashion's latest for the Spring of 1941. There were evening gowns, street suits and coats and afternoon frocks, play suits and sports wear for women and girls, and hats. The beautiful millinery made the pretty girls who wore them look just like they had stepped out of the pages of a fashion magazine.

The young men's business suits and sports clothes and hats were also very snappy and attractive. And when it came to the little tots, both boys and girls, they quite naturally stole the show. They weren't a bit embarrassed, and probably never heard of stage-fright. The way they strutted across the stage and displayed their finery fairly "brought down the house."

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Sponsored By Social Workers.

After the regular picture was shown, the Style Show began promptly at 8:30 o'clock and for more than an hour it continued without a hitch. The good ladies of the Social Workers of the First Methodist Church had certainly done their work well, and many were the compliments showered upon them. The Coffman Nursery also did a creditable job in decorating the stage with beautiful flowers and national colors.

The Style Show was appropriately opened by Misses Goldie Mae Caldwell and Dorothy Duke, who sang a duet and then led the audience in singing "God Bless America." During the remainder of the revue they served as pages, displaying the names of the merchants as each group of models appeared. Mrs. Roger Duke, well - known and talented pianist, played during the entire show.

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Specialty Acts.

After five of the stores had impressively displayed their latest styles, Miss Carolyn Morris, in a very charming manner, presented a military dance and Miss Patsy Paysinger appeared in a song and dance number that was very well received. These were followed by two selections by the High School Sextet composed of six beautiful girls who sang like professionals. Many remarks were heard to the effect that the Sextet should be broadcasting on the air. The young ladies in the Sextet were:

Joyce Bush, Dorothy Foster, Nancy Viers, Mildred Copeland, Annie Lois Watkins and Erma Mays. The accompanist for their numbers was Miss Alice Snapp.

While the success of the Style Show was due to the untiring efforts of scores of prominent McKinney ladies, those in direct charge of the affair, who were appointed by Mrs. Roy Roberts, President of the Social Workers, were: Mrs. Karl Gilmore, General Chairman; Mrs. Roy Caldwell, General Co-Chairman; Mrs. Noble Spurgin, Publicity; Mrs. H. H. Neilson, Tickets; Mrs. W. H. Knott, Decorations; Mrs. Jack Ryan, Backstage and Mrs. Roger Duke, Music.

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Models.

The following models participated in displaying the latest garments of the season and represented the McKinney stores and shops in the order named:

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J. C. Penney Company.

Kathryn Haynes, Kathryn Whitwell, Pauline Nelson, Dorothy Foster, Vernabeth Eddins, Ermenel Miller, Billie Sue Anderson, Tommie Allen, Davis Clifton, and Terry Heathington.

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The Chicago Store.

Edwina Lewis, Jenny Mae Scalf, Eugenia Skelton, Elga Higginbotham, Nelda Jean Fraze, Virginia Lynch, Ella Beth Lee, Mary Frances Gatlin, Virginia Mockford, and Mary Snider.

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McKinney Dry Goods Company.

Tommie Walden, Doris Faye Watson, Joyce Bush, Mary Ann Nelson, Alice Snapp, Mrs. Roy L. Brockman, Charlotte Whitwell, Mary Blanche Smith, Nancy Bush, and Winnie Alyne Watson.

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The Style Shop.

Beveraly Ann Ballem, Patty Cameron, Sara Ann Travillion, Melba Joyce Williams, Patty Orenduff, Charles Ray Nelson, James Aubrey Griffin, Clifton Dowell, Lesley Murphy, and J. R. Stewart.

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Biggest Little Store.

H. E. Crice, Horace Hankins, Pat Roberts, Jr., Chas. Fraswell.

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Perkins Brothers.

Jill McMurry, Martha McCullough, Betty Crouch, Bobbie Holmes, Margaret Kerby, Maurine Skelton, Bonnie Lou Hackney, Elizabeth Ann Goosetree, Houston Hartley, and Bill Proctor.

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Naomi Snider Dress Shop-Ransom's.

Garnett Reese, Addie Bob Jackson, Margaret Younger, Willie Nell Vines, Ruth Bewley, and Robbie Hayes.

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Carr's Ready-To-Wear Shop.

Betty Giles, Inez Neilson, Mrs. Candis Farley, Mary Ann Barlow, Edna Lee Shaw, and Edna Elizabeth Purnell.

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Leonard's.

Benjamin West, Carl Melton, Ed Stiff, Clifford Thomas, and Henry Myrick, Jr.

Society Notes

HELEN VAVRA WEDS ROBERT SHAW AT PLANO.

Of much interest in Plano and surrounding towns is the wedding of Miss Helen Vavra, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Vavra, of Plano, and Robert D. Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shaw of Topeka, Kan.

The ceremony was read Sunday by Rev. Dan R. Robinoson in the Firt Methodist Church in Plano.

Mrs. E. L. Sherrill, pianist, accompanied Miss Mary Jane Vavra as she sang "Ava Maria" and "The Rosary."

The bride was attended only by her sister, Mrs. J. Clifford Shaw of Monroe, La.

The groom was attended by his brother, Jim Shaw, of Topeka., Kan. Joe Vavra, Jr., and J. Clifford Shaw were ushers.

A reception followed immediately at the home of the bride's parents.

After a trip to the coast the couple will be at home in Topeka. Many people from Dallas and Fort Worth attended the wedding and reception.

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EN AVANT CLUB.

Mrs. W. T. McCasland was hostess to the En Avant Club members and Mrs. Daley and Mrs. Wills Friday afternoon at the regular Club meeting. Mrs. W. R. Hollis was co-hostess for the afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Kenyon called the Club to order for a business meeting, after which a most interesting program on "Famous Canals" was discussed by Mrs. Roger Duke and Mrs. Hubert White. Mrs. Duke chose the 'Suez Canal" as her subject, while Mrs. White described the 'Panama Canal." Concluding the program Mrs. W. R. Wallis conducted a helpful pronunciation drill.

During the social hour delicious pudding, coffee and salted nuts were passed. Mrs. McCasland used Japonica, jonquils, narcissus, and other spring blossoms for decorating the living and dining rooms, the dining table being covered with a lovely hand made lace cloth and centered with a bowl of these flowers.

Next week Mrs. Herman White will receive the Club, when Mrs. Shirley Taylor will be co-hostess.

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MRS. A. H. EUBANKS JR. IS HOSTESS.

Mrs. A. H. Eubanks, Jr., entertained the Thursday Club of Frisco and several other guests with a "Lumberjack Party" Thursday in the home of Mrs. A. H. Eubanks, Sr., on West Lamar Street. japonica and jonquils centered the four small tables, which were covered with checked gingham cloths and a delicious luncheon was buffet style consisting of chicken spaghetti, baked beans, congealed salad, relishes, rolls, coffee and cake. A large basket of greenery was used on the dining table. The guests were asked to wear slacks, skirts and blouses or other similar sportswear.

The hostess carried out her chosen theme most cleverly in table accessories, tallies and decorations and before the wood burning fire place hung a large water bucket and gourd dipper.

Bridge was enjoyed during the afternoon, the high score prizes going to Mrs Claud Rogers and Mrs. Buford Mays. Mrs. J. C. Stewart received the "galloping" prize.

Members and guests for this most enjoyable affair were Mesdames Rogers, J. B. Cannady, Mays, Carter Fisher, Sam Gibson, Tom Lane, Tom Gooch, George McKay, Joe McIntire, Wallace Deweese, all of Frisco; V. R. Addington, Jimmie Wooten of Dallas; Johnny Whisenant, J. C. Stewart and Virgil Stogdill of this city.

The next meeting of the club will be held March 20 in the home of Mrs. Fisher in Frisco.

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BLUE RIDGE LADIES ENTERTAIN.

The ladies of the Methodist Church at Blue Ridge entertained their husbands with a game party at the Church there Tuesday night. Mrs. C. M. Fagg and Mrs. R. F. Hamilton had charge of the entertainment. Various games were played throughout the evening. In the contests, Mrs. Jim Fagg and M. Hughes were winners. Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Westphal of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fagg, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Fagg, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Fagg, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Evans, Paula Evans, Mr. and Mrs. A. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Hamilton, Dorothy and Inez Hamilton, Mrs. Hattie Manning, Mrs. J. O. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Grey, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bratcher, Mrs. Gus Haesner, Mrs. P. Myrick, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lucas.

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THE OWL CLUB.

Out of the misty past come many beautiful customs with a meaning which involved sacred obligations that appealed to nobility and honor. Noblesse Oblige. This was, B. H. (Before Hitler). One such is the breaking of bread in the home of another. The Act was a pledge of loyalty, irrevocable and binding. Such a bond of fidelity has been signed, sealed and delivered between the Owl Club and Mrs. Edward Finch. Friday, last, sixteen Owls and three of the Owl intimates, Mesdames E. L. Burton, Frank Emerson and R. G. McCain sat down to a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Edward Finch that beggars any attempt to say how delicious and enjoyable. It was of the sort that stirs the pride of the home-maker and she resolves in her heart, 'I, too, will do something like this" as she takes mental stock of her linen, silver and china. However, the club is bound to "Virginia" by ties of affinity and consanguinity, both. She, being a kinswoman of the loved senior Owl, and co-founder of this Club Mrs. M. H. Garnett, who has scheduled for this meeting.

The guests cut for the table favors, pots of geraniums, which fell to Mesdames Tom Scott, Joe E. Largent, Frank Emerson, H. A. Finch and L. C. Clifton. A lively spelling bee followed with Mrs. Largent giving out from Webster's blue back speller. Mrs. Frank Wilcox alone remained on the floor and was awarded a tempting appearing — box of candy(?)

Mrs. George Jones was next heard reading the inteersting minutes. Mrs. Erwin prodded the careless into line with her critical, but kindly comments. Highway patrol and other legislative matters came up for discussion. They were referred to the Legislative committee of the club for analysis and advice.

"Russia: A Hope or a Menace?" was discussed by Mrs. George Jones, Mrs. T. H. Bryant and Mrs. Tom Scott in a most interesting way, but left the interrogation point still standing.

The date, March 7, in the year book, will have a red ring around it as a reminder for the future and will bring glad memories. Club adjourned, hostesses for March 14, to be announced later in this column.

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JOHN EDWARD GAY CELEBRATES HIS BIRTHDAY.

John Edwards Gay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gay, celebrated his twelfth birthday Sunday at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kerr. A family dining was given in his honor and those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Gay, his grandparents from Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Kerr, Miss Anna Belle Kerr, Mr. Lewis Gay.

In the afternoon the lovely birthday cake was enjoyed by the above mentioned guests and also John Edward Cousines, Bill Boyd, and Gay Walker; Mrs. Roland Boyd and Mrs. Earl Walker.

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Mrs. Scott Abernathy, Deputy.
Roland W. Boyd, County Attorney.
Dwight Whitwell, Assistant
Mrs. Allie Jacobs, Assistant.

Court Adjourned.

The January term of court adjourned Saturday. The April term will convene Monday, April 28, for a seven-week session.

For the convenience of persons who may have important legal matters to be brought before the court during the official recess, Judge Suggs will, as has been his custom, hold court in McKinney every Saturday.

During the last two days of the term just closed, the following pleas of guilty were entered and fines and sentences imposed:

Holbert Lee Phillips, charged with theft over $50 was given two years in the penitentiary and also three months additional when he pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated.

William Keith Fairman, charged with attempting to pass a forged check, given two years in the penitentiary.

J. D. Vandergriff was sentenced to 90 days in jail and fined $200 on a charge of theft of turkeys.

James Drake (col.) was given six months in the county jail on a charge of aggravated assault.

The following pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and were each given the minimum penalty of $50 fine and costs and five days in jail: L. C. James, Gene Ross and Clyde Newby. Drivers license suspended.

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New Suits.

Sammie Evans vs. Sam Evans, divorce.

Marion Wood vs. Bessye Wood, divorce.

COUNTY COURT NEWS.

Hon. Jewel E. Abernathy Judge.
W. C. Hagy, Clerk.
Clyde Cunningham, Chief Deputy.

Marriage Licenses.

Dewey Kimberlin and Nan Elizabeth Phillips.

John Grover Davis and Ruth Davis.

J. D. Athey Jr., and Aline Langley.

Hasea Evans (col.) and Katie Justice.

Bill M. Hutcherson and Hazel Foster.

Vallenona Yougar and Beatrice Garcia.

Charles DeWitt Smith and Marcella Bennmyr.

JUSTICE COURT

Hon. Clyde Doyle, J P
W. A. (Will) Kerby, Constable.
Floyd Williams, Deputy.

The constable's department has made the following arrests during the past week:

One for driving while intoxicated; one for drunkenness.

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Vital Statistics Report for Feb.

Following is the vital statistic report for February as kept by Justice Clyde Doyle for McKinney and Princeton No. 1:

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Births.

Mr. and Mrs. Jose Gonsalez, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Wyatt, girl, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Columbus R. Giles, girl, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Hutchinson, boy, Shreveport, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Chatman C. York, boy, Princeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom H. McDaniel, girl, Frisco, Route 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Dyke E. Langley, boy, Princeton, Route 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Scott, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester B. Jetton, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Spears, boy, McKinney, Route 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom J. Wood, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben C. Morton, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Gillespie, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Avery C. Scalf, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lambert, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Matilda Hernandez, girl, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesley D. Snider, girl, Blue Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown, girl, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Perry, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie L. Dinsmore, boy, McKinney, Route 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Raymond Pate, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Alfred Willis, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Smith, 2 boys, one girl, Wylie Route 1. McKinney, Route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil G. Robinson, boy, McKinney, Route 4.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scott, girl, McKinney, Route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie R. Honea, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Ellis, girl, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis G. Calk, boy, Frisco, Route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Rutledge, girl, 4001 Howell St. Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Milan M. Williams, girl, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray B. Goforth, boy, McKinney, Route 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Rich, girl, McKinney Route 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wilson, boy, Princeton, Route 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Henager, boy, McKinney, Route 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom B. Anderson, boy, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Rucker, girl, McKinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady M. Thorn, girl, McKinney, Route 2.

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Deaths.

Wm. M. Anderson, age 63 years, McKinney, Route 2.

W. F. Benton, age 80 years, McKinney.

John T. Brown, age 74 years, McKinney, Route 4.

Infant Woods, McKinney.

John H. Wilmeth, age 55 years, McKinney.

Lazro Lugan (Mex.) age 76 years, McKinney.

Mrs. R E. Dunlap, age 57 years, McKinney.

Mrs. Mollie Corley, age 73 years, McKinney.

Clarence Johnson (col.) age 3 years, McKinney.

Terry S. Smith, age 1 day, Wylie, Route 1

Grace P. Foster, age 70 years, McKinney.

Susie Walker (col.) age 64 years, McKinney.

Naomi G. Moseley, age 58 years, McKinney, Route 5.

Mrs. J. W. Spencer, age 97 years, McKinney.

Summa S. Bryant, age 41 years, McKinney.

Dora V. R. Kirby, age 71 years, McKinney.

Howard D. Norman ,age 62 years, McKinney.

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SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

W. E. Button, Sheriff.
Dan Rike.
Roy Hays.
A. G. Sparlin.
Euel Ford.
Deputies.

The sheriff's department has made the following arrests during the past week:

Four for drunkenness; one for misdemeanor theft.

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Mrs. Paul Haliburton of Desert honored her daughter, Virginia Jane, with a party on her fifth birthday Saturday. She received gifts from the children attending.

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Sheriff W. E. Button made a business trip to Dallas Wednesday.

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Justice of the Peace Clyde Doyle, who was at home with a slight illness for two days, is back at his office again attending to his legal duties as usual. This will be welcome news to his host of friends.

FREE GRASS

By Mrs. Etta Rice, Corr.

Robert Doyle Rice spent Sunday with Billie Ray Walston.

Mrs. Flora Hartness visited Mrs. Edith Montgomery.

Edna Davis of Blue Ridge spent Wednesday night with Elsie Jo Boren.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Riddle of White Wright have been visiting relatives here.

Ira Dean May of Moreland spent Monday night with Wanda Dean Nowell.

Betty Jo Baker of Blue Ridge spent Monday night with Jean Overman.

Hillard Fuller of Moreland spent Wednesday afternoon with S. T. Overman.

Mrs. Edith Montgomery spent Monday with Mrs. Alva Montgomery of Womble.

Mrs. Edith Montgomery spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. S. T. Overman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Greer and Mrs. Templeton visited at Valdasta Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Overman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Pruitt of Blue Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harrelson of Princeton spent the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Rice and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Walston and children and Mr .and Mrs. Cecil Rose an dson Windell spent the week-end with Ellen Lynn Pruitt of Blue Ridge.

Mrs. Moses Overman who has been visiting her son, Dick Overman and family has gone to Ambrose where she is visiting her daughter Mrs. Henry Fuller.

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Mrs. T. C. Martin has been confined to her home with illness for the past two days.

Mercury Down To 28 Degrees Here Thursday

For the second time in less than three weeks McKinney and vicinity Wednesday experienced another cold snap, resulting from a Norther sweeping down from the Panhandle plains where subzero weather and snows swept the countryside.

In and around McKinney the coldest recorded was 28 Wednesday night and early Thursday morning. The Norther did one good turn for this area. It swept the rain before it, for when residents awoke Wednesday morning it was raining and a light rain had fallen all night before.

The weather man predicts partly cloudy for Thursday with temperature holding down to below 50 degrees, but generally fair is forecast for Friday throughout this section.

Slight traces of sleet and snow fell in McKinney for several minutes Thursday morning, completing the "wintery" touch to the city.

CLIMAX

By Wilma McComic, Corr.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Barnett of Blue Ridge visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myrick Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordon Maynor and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Crockett Maynor.

Mrs. Leona Wells and aunt Roxie Shipman are on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Recer spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira McComic spent Monday night with her father, Jesse McDonald of Blue Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harbin and little daughter spent Saturday night with her mother, Mrs. H. Chumley of Verona.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Toombs and son Jimmie were visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Doc Toombs Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Itt Templeton and daughter spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Willis.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myrick were Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Sellers and Mr. and Mrs. Lud Bailey and family of Valdasta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anderson of McKinney, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Langley and children of Culleoka spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Recer.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Reeves and Oliver Reeves of McKinney, Route 4, visited Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Carter, Sr., of Durant, Okla. Mr. Carter being seriously ill.

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Miss Mary Frances Montgomery, who lives on Route 1, Anna, Texas, was operated on at the McKinney City Hospital Tuesday night. She was reported resting well Wednesday morning.

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Jim Caldwell of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Paul young and little daughter, Beverly of Dallas were guests Sunday of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Caldwell..

Claude Austin Will Speak At Masonic Meet

CLAUDE AUSTIN.

St. John's Lodge No. 51 a. m. & A. M. of this city will entertain Claude Austin of Dallas, Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Texas, Thursday night, March 20, at 7:30 o'clock, when Mr. Austin will be here to address local Masons and visiting members of that fraternal order.

The occasion will celebrate founder's month.

Mr. Austin, a gifted speaker and prominent in Texas Masonic circles, has a host of friends in this city and county and frequently comes here for visits. While his subject has not been announced, it is expected that he will review the one hundred and six years of Masonry in Texas.

It was 106 years ago at 10 a. m. on a day in March that six Master Masons met in a grove of wild peach or laurel trees back of the town of Brazoria and discussed the proceedings of obtaining a charter for a Masonic lodge in the republic of Texas. This charter later was obtained from the Grand Lodge of Louisiana, delivered to Brother Anson Jones, who became the first Grand Master of Texas. At that time Sam Houston's small and ragged army was on the march to meet General Santa Anna's army in that memorable and historic battle of San Jacinto.

Plans are going forward here to entertain a large group of local Masons, but many other members from throughout this section of the State as well, according to R. P. Jones, Worshipful Master, and A. Blaine Smith, Secretary, of St. John's Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mize of Blue Ridge entertained with a 42 party and buffet luncheon Tuesday for eight guests. Mrs. D. B. Shrader was hostess for a dinner Sunday honoring her daughter, Mrs. T. P. Holt of Galveston. There were 10 guests.

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Mrs. G. L. Driggers of Blue Ridge moved Monday to Princeton, where she will be located temporarily with her son, Alley Driggers. J. L. Cassidy has moved to the Chris Hooper farm east of Blue Ridge.

Mrs. H. A. Browne is visiting her daughter Mrs. Noel Wilson and family in Coleman.

Passing Of Fred Holman Regretted Throughout County

The funeral of Fred Atkins Holman, prominent farmer who lived South of McKinney, and who was found dead Friday morning in his home, were held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, at the Methodist Church at Wylie. Rev. J. P. Hensley, formerly pastor of the Murphy Methodist Church, of which the deceased was a member, assisted by Rev. Felix B. Kindel, now pastor of the Murphy Church. Tom J. Sneed of Waxahachie, a class friend of the family, made a talk in which he paid high tribute to the deceased.

Pallbearers were: Albert Ingram, Dr. R. E. Morrow, A. J. Willis, Albert Taylor, J. C. Haggard, Tom Pickett, Ed Knight and George Crittenden.

The deceased was born August 21, 1885, in Franklin County, Ark., being 55 years, 6 months, and 13 days of age. He was the son of the late John Campbell Holman and Mrs. Elizabeth Meyers Holman who now lived in Oklahoma City.

Mr. Holman came to Texas when 17 years old, locating in the St. Paul community, North of Wylie. On July 11, 1909, he was married to Miss Merle Morris, daughter of the late John W. Morris and wife, early setlers of that community.

Besides his wife and mother, he is survived by three children: Mrs. Jim Alfred Willis, McKinney; Morris Holman, salesman with Bewley Mills, Dallas; and Miss Dallas Faye Holman, TSCW student, Denton. A daughter, Jenny Elizabeth, and a son, died in infancy. He leaves 3 grandsons: Morris Haggard Holman and Charles Everett and Jimmie Morris Willis. He is also survived by the following brothers and sisters: D. B. Holman and Mrs. Jess Maynard, Los Angeles, Calif., and Joe B. Holman and Mrs. S. F. Murphy of Oklahoma City, Okla.

The deceased was apparently in the best of health shortly before his body was found sitting upright in a chair by Harvey Baker, who had helped him with some outside work about an hour before. Mrs. Holman was visiting her son in Dallas, when she learned of her husband's untimely death.

Mr. Holman had been a member of the Methodist Church thirty years. He was also a member of the W. O. W. Lodge at Lucas.

Burial was made in the Wylie Cemetery with the Crouch Funeral Home of McKinney, in charge.

Mack Morgan Wins Top Honors In Ft. Worth Stock Show

Mack Morgan, well-known and successful farmer and livestockman, living Southeast of McKinney, is the proud possessor of several blue ribbons and other awards following judging of the Poland-China hogs Thursday at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

Other Collin winners in this division, of the lightweight class, 200 pounds or under, are Mr. Morgan's son, Buford Morgan; Ben R. and W. F. Carter, living West of McKinney.

Mr. Morgan won first and second in the lightweight barrow class; first on pen of three barrows, first on litter, as well as champion barrow. Buford Morgan, his son, won fourth on pen of three barrows, 231 to 260 pounds.

Other Collin winners in this division are: Ben R. Carter, fifth in pen of three barrows, 201 to 230 pound class, and W. F. Carter, fifth, in class of 231 to 260 pound class.

Bill Renaker, Judge of the Show, is head buyer for Swift & Company of Chicago and an expert on Poland-China hogs and other animals.

Exhibitors, says Mr. Morgan, competed against the best stock from three States, Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

50,000 Guests At N. O. Kindle's In Seven Years' Time

During the seven years they have been in business on Highway 75 on the Southern edge of McKinney, Kindle's Drive-In Lunch and Fountain, has had 50,000 guests and customers register.

N. O. Kindle, the proprietor, in making this unusual anouncement, showed the pride he has in his business and he hastened to publicly thank those who have made this enviable record possible. Mr. Kindle is rightfully celebrated the Seventh Anniversary of his establishment this week and he extends an urgent invitation to his many friends to drop in and see him. Already twelve McKinney business firms who have been serving this popular resort these past seven years are congratulating Mr. Kindle.

A baby girl was born Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Covington at the McKinney City Hospital.

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Mr. and Mrs. Buck Rogers of Washington, D. C., were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Neilson.

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HOW MANY PENCILS.

PERHAPS OUR HOBBY OF pencil collecting attracted us to this item, but we found it interesting. Under a Canyon, Texas, dateline, the story says: "Investigators for the student newspaper at West Texas State College have made an astonishing discovery: Only 18 per cent of the students ever buy pencils, yet all appear to be well supplied.

Most of the 300 students interviewed could not recall when they had last bought a pencil. Asked pointblank where they obtained the pencils then in use, many replied: "Why, I haven't the least idea."

Pencils, the inquiry showed, are "picked up" in offices, stores, classrooms and on the streets, and also obtained from roommates, boy friends and traveling salesmen. One student confessed: "I haven't bought a pencil since I was in grade school."

THE SECRETS OF SUCCESS.

"Push," said the door.

"Never be lead," said the fountain pen.

"Don't let mistakes upset you," said the eraser.

"Keep cool," said the refrigerator.

"Don't lose your head," said the tack.

"Keep going," said the clock.

"Hang on," said the clothes line.

"Keep your eyes open," said the needle.

"Be up to date," said the calendar.

"Don't throw away your opportunities," said the waste-paper basket.

"Do work that suits you," said the chimney.

"Aspire to great things," said the nutmeg.

"Make light of your troubles,' said the candle.

"Stick to it," said the stamp.

HOME-MADE FUN FOR 38,851 GIRLS.

FOOD IN TONS AND MILlions, beauty and comfort, and fun home-made—that's the story of 38,851 girls enrolled in Texas 4-H Clubs in 1940. This work, explains Onah Jacks, State Girls' Agent, is carried on with rural girls by the A. and M. College of Texas and the U. S. Department of Agriculture cooperating. The average age of these girls is 12, but despite their youth, Miss Jacks says, "they are certainly busy at the job of improving the health of themselves and the folks about them." For example last year they canned over 2,400 tons of food. And that does not include the vegetables used fresh out of 18,520,530 row feet of rows they grew. In addition, they're preparing to "make a dent in the country-side" with 111,167 fruit trees and vines and 12,443 ornamental plants they have rooted from seeds and cuttings. A great many 4-H Club girls in Texas reported clothing themselves for the year on about $17. They kept their own records to find out about this. The fact that they made 86,791 garments themselves and improved their methods of selecting and caring for clothes made that $17 expenditure possible, Miss Jacks says. While their 4-H records don't show great money profits, the girls spent $68,620 on home improvements to bring "comfort, convenience and beauty to more people even than their own families." These girls worked in 2,076 clubs in 191 counties. While they did most of their own planning and carried out their plans, each club had an adult sponsor who is a volunteer local leader.

PLAYGROUND BALL TOURNAMENT.

MORE THAN 1,000 PLAYers will actually participate in the Playground Ball Tournament of the Interscholastic League, which will be played at Newsome Field in McKinney April 16 to 19. From 1,500 to 2,000 players will be here, counting substitute players. Superintendent O. F. Giles of Murphy, Director, says that this feature of the County Meet will bring thousands to McKinney, including relatives of the players, teachers, school chums, and friends. McKinney gladly welcomes these visitors.

The Celina city council in a meeting Tuesday night called an election for April 5 to elect two councilmen. The terms of Lige Douglas and Earl Tillerson will expire at that time.

CITY ELECTION

Tuesday, April 1:

For Mayor:
TOM W. PERKINS.
W. B. MITCHELL
JOE W. McCULLOUGH

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For Commissioner:
CLIFFORD A. BROWNE
GEO. W. JAMES
J. H. SNAPP
C. E. (CARL) MELTON
LYMAN D. ROBINSON
(Vote for 3)

RITZ

Friday and Saturday—
"HUDSON'S BAY"
Paul Muni and Gene Tierney

Saturday Midnight—
"I'M STILL ALIVE"
Kent Taylor and Linda Hayes

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday—
"LOVE THY NEIGHBOR"
Jack Benny, Fred Allen and Mary Martin

Wednesday and Thursday—
"TALL DARK AND HANDSOME"
Caesar Romero and Milton Berle

TEXAS

Friday and Saturday—
"BACK IN THE SADDLE"
Gene Autry and Smiley Burnett
Chapter 6—
"THE MYSTERIOUS DR. SATAN"

Sat. Midnight, Sun. and Mon.—
"ROMANCE OF RIO GRANDE"
Caesar Romero and Patricia Morrison

Tuesday and Wednesday—
"NO NO NANETTE"
Anne Neagle and Richard Carlson

Thursday—
"JENNIE"
Virginia Gilmore and William Henry

Former McKinney Man Succumbs At Home In Dallas

John Homer Kennedy, 38 years old, who formerly lived in McKinney for about fifteen years, but who had since resided in Dallas, died Wednesday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock at his home, 613 Browder Street, in Dallas, where he made his home with his Mother, Mrs. John Kennedy, a widow.

Funeral services were conducted at the Church of Christ on South Wilcox Street in McKinney at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon by Rev. Millholland and interment followed in the Wilson Chapel Cemetery. The body was brought to McKinney Thursday morning by the Massie Funeral Home, who had charge of the funeral arrangements.

The deceased was born in Ada Oklahoma, April 6, 1902, the so of the late John Kennedy. Be sides his widowed mother, M Kennedy is survived by one broth er, Edgar Kennedy, who also live in Dallas.

J. O. Roberts of Dallas spen Sunday here in the home of hi nephew, Jim Kimbriel and wife.

Dr. Arita B. Green, Mrs. Clyd Lewis and daughter, Faye Evelyn were Dallas visitors Monday.

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James Keith of Prosper wa brought to the McKinney City Hospital Tuesday afternoon an underwent an operation a fe hours later. His condition Wednesday was reported improved.

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Miss Margaret Pruett has returned to her studies at Baylo University, in Waco, after visi ing her mother, Mrs. W. W. Pruett, and other relatives here o er the week-end.

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PRATT'S MEAT MARKET
BROWN'S DELIVERY SERVICE
NEHI BOTTLING CO.
COCA-COLA BOTTLING CO.
McKINNEY DAIRY Pasteurized Milk
KID BROWN Hatter and Tailor
MISSION ORANGE CO.
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ESTABLISHED FEBRUARY 7, 1884 McKINNEY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 13, 1941. SECOND SECTION FIFTY-SEVENTH YEAR

Collin County Livestockmen To Meet Here

An important meeting of the Collin County Purebred Livestock Association will be held in the Chamber of Commerce rooms here Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, March 15. Announcements have been issued by President Joe C. Moore of Melissa and W. T. Dungan, Secretary of the Association, who lives on Route 3 out of McKinney, who urge all members to be present and to be here promptly, as many topics will be discussed.

Clint Shepard is Vice-President of the Association.

Jack McCullough, County Agricultural Agent, will attend and take part in the discussions.

The program for this meeting will be completed within a few days.

Funeral Of Miss Rilla Starnes Held Tuesday

The funeral of Miss Rilla Starnes, who was found dead Monday in a wash shed near the farm home, was held Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence, five miles Southwest of McKinney. Rev. E. B. Jackson, Methodist Minister of Prosper, officiated and interment followed at Bethel Cemetery, North of Frisco.

Justice of the Peace Clyde Doyle was called and after his inquest rendered a verdict of "Death caused by wounds, self-inflicted."

Miss Starnes was 58 years of age, the daughter of the late J. M. and Mandy (Pierson) Starnes. She is survived by one sister, Miss Tavie Starnes and a brother, Wylie Starnes, who made their home with her on the farm on the McKinney-Frisco road, and three other brothers, Will Starnes of Frisco, J. B. Starnes of Decatur and J. U. Starnes of Chattanooga, Okla.

The funeral was in charge of the Massie Funeral Home.

Revival Closes At The McKinney Nazarene Church

Rev. Ward B. Chandler, Evangelist of Abilene, Texas, has just closed what Pastor F. O. Parr terms as the best revival conducted in the McKinney Nazarene Church in years. There were 40 professions at an altar of prayer. Twelve members were received into the church with others to follow next Sunday. A tithing band was organized with over 40 members. The Church Board, in a called meeting after the closing service Sunday night, voted to pay the Pastor's house rent and utilities.

PRE-NATAL CLINIC FUND

Starting off with $100.00 donation by the Jaycees, the fund for equipping the Pre-Natal Clinic at the McKinney City Hospital is growing rapidly. The following table shows the contributions to date:

Jaycees, $100.00.
Tag Day Campaign, $33.00.
Arnold Community, $12.30.
A. M. Scott & Co., $10.00.
Finney's Bakery, $10.00.
Mrs. L. A. Scott, $4.00
Wysong Clinic, $10.00.
Concert, $12.00.
Halcyon Club, $10.00.
Jim Cantrell, $1.00.
Clyde Doyle, $1.00.
W. P. Abernathy, $1.00.
Midway Cafe, $5.00.
Lee Elliott Bldg. Material Co., $10.00.
F. W. Woolworth, $5.00.
American Legion Post No. 96, $2.50.
H. B. Johnson Furniture Co., $10.00.
Wood's Cafe, $3.50.
H. M. Head, $1.00.
Clyde Horn, $1.00.
Collin County Mill & Elevator Co., $5.00.
Collin County National Bank, $5.00.
Central National Bank, $5.00.
Mrs. Scott Abernathy, $1.00.
McKinney Dry Goods Company, $5.00.
Texas Power & Light Co., $10.00.
Community Natural Gas. Co., $10.00.
Anonymous, $10.00.
American National Insurance Company, $4.00.
Perkins Bros., $5.00.
Paris Wholesale Grocer Co., $5.00.
Ray & Roberts, $5.00.
J. Ed Gibson, $2.00.
Texas Textile Mills, $5.00.
Underwood Chevrolet Co., $5.00.
J. C. Penney & Company, $10.00.
Rev. Earl J. Patton, $1.00.
McKinney Laundry, $5.00.
Anonymous, $2.00.

McKinney Dads Clubs Meets Here Monday Night

The regular monthly meeting of the Dads Club, held Monday night at the High School Gymnasium, proved to be one of the most interesting sessions yet held by that popular organization. More than 150 members attended and most of the evening was spent in playing games, presenting short dramatic and comic skits and otherwise just having one grand time.

C. Hansford Ray, President of the Club, presided while Jim Cantrell was chairman of the Program Committee. In the absence of R. L. (Bob) Elliott, the Co-Chairman, who was out of the city, J. W. (Swede) McMurry took over his duties and conducted that part of the program which was termed the "Fun Session."

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Film Shown.

First on the program for the evening was the showing of a picture depicting the rubber industry, furnished by the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company and Horn & White, their McKinney dealers. This proved intensely interesting and educational. The picture particularly emphasized how the rubber industry is playing such a vital part in the Nation's defense program. A vote of thanks was extended the Goodyear Company and also Horn & White for providing this splendid feature.

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A play, in pantomime, with J. W. McMurry as the reader, proved one of the features of the program. Among those taking part were: Happy Hendricks, property man; H. L. Davenport, King; Loren King, Prince; W. Hammond Moore, Queen; W. L. Glazener, Princess; Dr. M. S. Minton and J. T. Rollins, Curtain.

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Free attendance prizes were donated by local business establishments.

The free wash and grease job given by the Underwood Chevrolet Company, went to O. L. Hope.

Bill Roberts and Royal Davis were awarded the two sacks of sugar given free by the C. & T. Grocery.

L. M. King was awarded the free $3.00 worth of tickets donated by the Ritz Theater.

The sack of sausage given free by Jack Weeks was given to Hubert White.

J. B. May was given the basket of groceries, the free award of the King Grocer Company.

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319 Members.

In his regular monthly report, Chairman W. L. Glazener of the Membership Committee reported that the membership now totals 319, and it was decided to make every effort to increase this to 400 by the time of the next meeting on Monday night, April 14. The program for that meeting, it was decided Monday night, will be a quiz on facts about the McKinney Public School System.

Nephew Of Local Woman Is Killed In Plane Crash

Funeral service were held Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at Red Oak for Donald Joe Stanford, 26, flying cadet of Bakersfield, Calif., who was killed last week in a crash near Rosedale, Calif. Mrs. Stanford had volunteered for service at Dallas, Oct. 16. He was a graduate of the N. T. S. T. C., at Denton, and would have received his wings in June.

He was in the primary training field at Santa Maria, Calif., where he completed a course and was transferred to the basic training school at Bakersfield, January 1. He was born in Red Oak, being a son of the late J. M. Stanford.

Surviving are his Mother, Mrs. Robert L. Goodloe; a brother, Bobby Goodloe, of Red Oak; a sister, Mrs. Neil Shell, of Dallas, and by his grandmother, Mrs. Mattie L. Dunn, of Red Oak.

The deceased was a nephew of Mrs. W. S. Hitchcock, North Bradley Street, of this city and of Levi Dunn of Weston. He often visited in this county, his last visit being two weeks before he entered training at Santa Maria, Calif.

Mrs. Hitchcock and sons, Floyd and Weldon of McKinney and Virgil C. Hitchcock of Greenville and Mr. Dunn of Weston, attended the funeral services at Red Oak and the burial services at Hillcrest Mausoleum Sunday. The deceased was a grandson of the late Cal Dunn and wife, pioneer citizens of the Altoga community and Mrs. Mattie Dunn of Red Oak. The entire county sympathize with the bereaved relatives in the tragic death of this fine young man.

Miss Mae Beth Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Thompson of Chambersville, is now employed at an auto supply store in Austin. Travis Gooch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gooch of the same community, has gone to work in a store in McKinney.

Selectees Are Honored; Program Given Tuesday

Opening with the singing of "America," in which everyone joined with enthusiasm, the meeting held at the Courthouse Tuesday morning, honoring the eighteen Selectees, who departed for induction in the Army, proved to be a most inspiring one.

For the first time, the soldiers-to-be of Collin County were given their farewell send-off by Lone Star Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, of which Jesse Burton is Commander. He served as Master of Ceremonies. Previously these farewell meetings were held under the auspices of Jimmie Geigas Post of the American Legion under the direction of J. W. McKinney, the Commander.

Following the singing of "America," Dr. R. L. Cowan, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, gave the invocation. Hon. W. C. Dowdy, well-known McKinney Attorney and former War Veteran, gave an interesting talk on "Camp Life."

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W. S. Smith Speaker.

W. S. Smith, former County School Superintendent, made the principal address, in which he praised the patriotism of the boys who make up this last quota of the county's contribution to the Nation's peacetime army. His remarks were well chosen and were received with a storm of applause.

Hon. H. H. Neilson, Secretary of Draft Board No. 1, who originated the "Your Friend Club," then made a brief talk and introduced the young Selectees to their eighteen sponsors.

Everyone then united in singing "God Bless America" and the meeting was brought to a close by Rev. Cowan with the benediction.

Selectees.

It was a very representative gathering, including prominent business and professional men and farmers and relatives of the Selectees and many members of the V. F. W. Post. Immediately after the meeting, which started at 8:30 in the morning, the boys embarked for Dallas.

The Selectees sent by Board 1 were:

Elmo Adams, McKinney, Texas, RFD No. 4.
Cecil Ray Stephens, Plano, Texas, FRD No. 2.
Clifton Theodore Headrick, McKinney, Texas, FRD No. 3.
J. C. Rollins, Anna, Texas, RFD No. 2.
Charles Wilford Tarvin, McKinney, Texas, RFD No. 3.
Gideon Alan Dowlen, McKinney, Texas.
Rufus James Gunter, McKinney, Texas, RFD No. 2.
Robert Calvin Roy, Farmersville, Texas.
Alfred Osbel Kruse, Wylie, Texas, R. F. D. No. 1.
Thomas Jennings Holloway, Farmersville, Texas.
Sam Harrison Showman, McKinney, Texas, RFD No. 5.

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Ula Saunders, Secretary of Draft Board No. 2, sent the following Selectees:

R. J. Bailey, Frisco, Route 2.
Mont Newton Wardlow, Farmersville.
Diew Thomas Roland, Anna, Route 1.
Roy Lee Chumley, Plano, Route 2.
William Andrew Cody, Blue Ridge.
John Edwin Sauls, Frisco.
Horice Ivyl Cunnyham, Blue Ridge, Route 2.

Excellent Record Of Two McKinney Girls At TSCW

Maintaining more than a B-average in all their subjects at Texas State College for Women, at Denton, Miss Ruth E. Young and Miss Leona Green of McKinney are entitled to class exemption this semester. Students with this high scholastic average make application in the Registrar's office and following approval from that office are not subject to compulsory class attendance.

Miss Young is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Young of McKinney. She is majoring in home economics education and is a Senior at the college. Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Green, Miss Green, is majoring in foods and is a junior student at TSCW. Only 200 students of the total 2,500 enrolled received the privilige of class exemption for the second semester.

The Baptist missionary society surprised Mrs. Jim Hudson Saturday with gift shower at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. E. E. Gilbert. There were 12 guests and others sent gifts.

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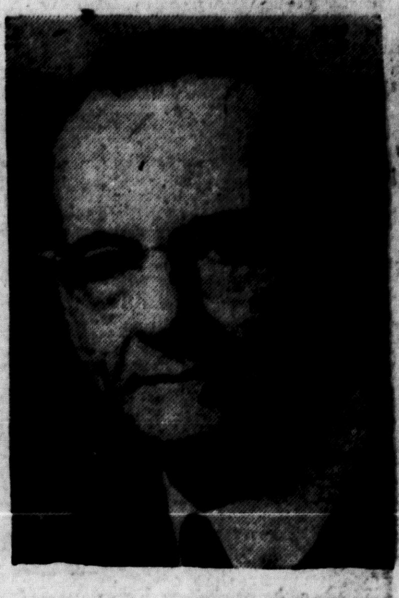
J. K. P. Shrader, County Treasurer, and well-known McKinney man observed another birthday event one day this week, receiving the best wishes and felicitations of a host of friends. We have long known and liked J. K. P. Shrader and join with his many other friends in wishing for him many more such happy birthday celebrations.

Will Be In Charge Of McKinney Revival



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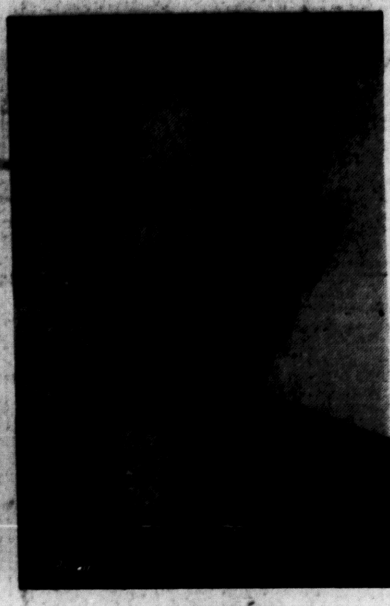

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Annual Spring Revival First Baptist Church

Plans are underway for the annual spring revival at the First Baptist Church to begin April 13, Easter Sunday, announces the Pastor, Dr. R. A. Clifton. The two week's meeting will be held at the church, with services twice daily. Rev. Millard A. Jenkens, D. D., Pastor of the First Baptist Church at Abilene, an evangelist of wide experience, will do the preaching, while the singing will be under the direction of W. P. Black, of Longview. Mr. Black is Educational Director of the First Church at Longview.

"The Watchman Examiner" a few months ago published the following article on the life of this prominent Baptist minister which will be of interest here:

Millard A. Jenkins was born on a mountain farm near Asheville, N. C. He received his literary education at the then Judson College at Hendersonville, N. C., and at Wake Forest College, Wake Forest, N. C. Before completing his studies, he was ordered by physicians to the open mountain country to fight, and to win, in a battle with tuberculosis. Lest the old trouble might return, he bagan extensive travel and research work, both in the Orient and in Europe, which continued at intervals over a periodx of years. He received the honorary degree of doctor of divinity from Bethel College.

He has preached and conducted evangelistic meetings in all the Southern States, and in the majority of the Western and Northern States, and in Canada. For nine summers he conducted evangelistic meetings in the Old Tent Evangel in New York City.

Prominent pastorates Dr. Jenkens has held include Tatnall Square church on the Campus of Mercer University, Macon, Ga.; First church, Hopkinsville, Ky., where is located Bethel Woman's Baptist College; First church, Athens, Ga., seat of the State University; and First church, Abilene, Texas, seat of Hardin-Simmons University. On November 12, 1939, he celebrated his 24th anniversary as pastor of this church, during which time he has received 9,000 into its membership, while contributions have amounted to nearly $1,250,000. He founded the Hendrick Memorial Baptist Hospital of his city, which is a $350,000 institution free of debt, and doing from $18,000 to $25,000 in charity work a year.

He is a member of the executive board of the Texas General Baptist Convention of which he has served as president; has served as convention preacher of this convention, and as moderator of the association; is a trustee of Hardin-Simmons University and the Hendrick Memorial Hospital, and for 22 years has served as a member of the Southern Baptist Sunday School Board.

In addition to his duties, pastoral and denominational, he finds time to hold many evangelistic meetings. In 1939 he conducted 7 revival meetings taking him as far north as Kansas City and as far south as Florida. Three summers ago, his evangelistic work took him as far as Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia.

New Coach For Anna School Is Named By Board

L. Dow Hendricks of McKinney, former Collin County School Superintendent, was elected Saturday by the Anna School board as coach and teacher in the Anna High School. He replaces R. J. Edwards, who moved Saturday to Houston and will be a teacher in the school system there.

Superintendent W. L. Roper was re-elected to head the Anna School for the thirty-fourth consecutive year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Harrell of Blue Ridge have announced the birth of a daughter Monday.

Larry Drake Drives Ball Over Fence In Rebel Workout

Driving the ball right over the centerfield fence, Rookie Larry Drake, now with the Dallas Rebels, caused a sensation in the team practice workout Monday at Dallas.

Young Drake of McKinney, son of L. F. Drake, well known local banker, was formerly with the McKinney High School team and he was only recently signed with the Rebels.

He gained the distinction Monday of driving in the first home-run of the practice season and his many friends in McKinney are rejoicing over his early success. Of five balls hit out of the park, Drake put four of them over the fence.

The Rebels were engaged in their first batting practice at Reverchon Park when young Drake picked up his bat and made a perfect hit, thus leading the way for such veterans as Paul Easterling, Johnny Stonesam and others. Beasley was serving 'em up when Drake teed off. It was a splendid exhibition for a Rookie and Drake was congratulated by the old timers as well as the new boys of the Rebel squad.

Californians Enjoy Visit To Collin Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cooper, of Los Angeles, Calif., and the former's Mother, Mrs. Alice Cooper, of Wylie, spent Monday in McKinney. While in the city, Mrs. C. J. Cooper called by this office to subscribe for the Weekly-Democrat-Gazette. She is the former Miss Pauline Hubble of this city, being a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hubble, of Dallas, and a granddaughter of M. T. McGarr of this city. While in McKinney she visited her Grandfather, Mr. McGarr, and also her Uncle, F. R. McGarr and family. Mr. and Mrs. Cooper are in Texas on several days' vacation, which they are spending with their relatives here, in Wylie and in Dallas.

Ladies Asked To Collect Surplus Paper Hat Bags

Ladies of the city are asked to collect all their surplus paper hat bags and bring them to the Red Cross knitting room in the Library Building. These bags or sacks will be used for the yarn, which is now being wound into balls, to e used in knitting Red Cross garments for war refugees.

Age Assistance In Texas Gains

Old-age assistance rolls were increased 2,975 recipients this month, and the average pension check was increased 14 cents to $14.20. Public Welfare Director J. S. Murchison, Austin, announced.

March roster of eligibles included 125,471 aged Texans. Total pension payments this month included 50 per cent federal grants, will be $1,781,922.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil White of Mexia spent Monday afternoon visiting Mrs. A. H. Eubanks and family here.

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George H. Wilcox, publisher of the Sherman Democrat, has accepted the position of Chairman of the Jackson Day Campaign for the Fourth Congressional District, so states Jackson Day Chairman, George A. Butler of Houston. Mr. Wilcox will appoint Jackson Day Committees in Grayson, Fannin, Collin, Hunt, Rockwall and Rains counties and has already organized work.

$42.00 Secured For Pre-Natal Clinic From Milk Bottles

Forty-Two Dollars from forty-two bottles.

That is the gratifying score of the phase of the Jaycees' Pre-Natal Fund campaign in which forty-two milk bottles were distributed among as many business establishments in McKinney. The public donations ranged from pennies to half dollars.

A. M. Scott, Jr., reported that a total of $366.45 has now been raised, and less than $150.00 more is needed. While the Jaycees are not soliciting funds personally, yet any member of the organization will be glad to receive contributions from anyone interested in this worthy cause.

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Pre-Natal Clinic Is Needed.

"Our campaign is coming to a close," said Mr. Scott," and we hope that the good people of McKinney will help us complete this fund, because a Pre-Natal Clinic is greatly needed at the McKinney City Hospital for the use of deserving mothers who cannot afford to pay the expenses involved."

The next regular meeting of the Junior Chamber will be held Tuesday noon, March 11, at Wood's Cafe, at which time plans for the return engagement of the Stamps Quartet will be discussed.

The quartet will present a concert at the High School Auditorium Tuesday night, March 18, at 8 o'clock, and at that time eight members of the Stamps organization will take part.

Clyde Doyle, President of the Junior Chamber, is anxious that as many members as possible attend the meeting-luncheon Tuesday, March 11.

El Paso Tigers Trim Abilene In State Tournament

The El Paso Tigers, runnersup last year, won the 1941 Texas Interscholastic League basketball championship in Austin Saturday night by defeating Abilene's Eagles, 27-to-20.

El Paso led at the half, 14-to-11, and pulled further into the lead by scoring eight points in the third frame to Abilene's three.

Mike Izquierdo led the attack for El Paso, scoring seven points. Smith of Abilene was the game's high scorer with eight points.

Abilene's giant killers entered the finals by nosing out the Waco Tigers, 23-to-20, while the El Paso Tigers scored a surprisingly easy 37-to-22 victory over Jeff Davis Houston in the other semifinal game Saturday morning.

The Abilene-Waco game was close throughout, neither team being able to gain more than a 3-point advantage at any time. The contest was in doubt until W. D. Winkles chalked up a field goal for the Eagles just as the final gun fired. The teams battled to a 7-to-7 draw in the initial frame, but Abilene was ahead, 14-to-13 at the rest period. The Eagles also held a 1-point lead, 17-to-16, at the three-quarter mark

Dan O'Keef Is Rotary Speaker Friday Luncheon

Dan O'Keef, prominent business man of Dallas and President of the Texas Legal Reserve Funeral Society, was the speaker to address the McKinney Rotary Club at it's weekly luncheon Friday at the First Methodist Church. His subject was "Youth's Dilemma" and his discourse was exceedingly interesting.

Ramsey Harris, Chairman of this Program Committee, and Banjamin Smith, Co-Chairman, had charge of the meeting after it was opened by President Jim Cantrell.

In addition to a good attendance of members, the following guests were introduced: Dow Rattan of Anna, Doyle Stacey of Allen, J. C. Haggard of Plano, Leeton Hillis of McKinney, W. B. Baker of Farmersville Assistant Coach Malone of the McKinney High School and District Judge Tom Suggs. The first five guests named are Jury Commissioners of Collin County.

Mrs. A. L. Gambrell and baby daughter, who was born a few days ago at the McKinney City Hospital, was returned to her home at Copeville Monday. Hospital attendants reported they are both doing well.

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While in Sherman over the week-end, Dr. Gaffney, noted magician, who recently gave a program at the McKinney High School, sponsored by the Lions Club, was a luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Graves, formerly of McKinney. Mr. Graves, as our readers are aware, is a magician of prominence, having often presented programs in this city.

State Fair Film In Technicolor Is Being Shown

The Texas State Fair in technicolor is the first of a series of educational and entertaining talking pictures to be shown in all Junior and Senior High Schools of Collin County, starting Monday, March 10, L. E. (Shorty) Fielder, County Librarian, in charge of the Visual Education Department of the Collin County School System, announced Saturday.

Immediately following the showing of this splendid sound film, Mr. Fielder, with E. A. (Jack) Birnside, who handles this work with him, will exhibit, in turn, the following motion pictures: "Middleton Family," "American Patriot." "Steel," and "Ed Graham." The one entitled "Steel" takes the audience through every step of the manufacture of steel, from mining of the ore to the making of the finished product. One picture in this group, "Ed Graham," is a comedy.

In every instance the pictures will be shown at 7:30 o'clock in the evening at each school house, starting at Cottage Hill on March 10 and continuing as follows:

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Schedule.

Farmersville, March 11; New Liberty, 12th; Josephine, 17th; Princeton, 18th; Plano, 19th; Celina, 21st; Allen, 24th; Anna, 25th; Prosper, 26th; Blue Ridge, 28th, and Bloomdale, 31st.

The schedule thus far arranged for April is as follows: Murphy, April 1st; Lovejoy, 2nd; Chambersville, 4th; Weston, 7th; Pike, 8th; White Rock, 9th; Kelley, 11th; Alla Hubbard, 14th; Snow Hill, 15th; Culleoka, 16th; Parker, 18th; Branch, 21st; Frisco, 22nd; Worden, 23rd, and Clear Lake, 25th.

All five of the pictures are being furnished Collin County Schools free of charge by the Modern Talking Picture Service of Dallas and all of them will be shown in the schools and on the dates lsted.

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Visual Education Program.

The regular course in visual education in the Collin County School System has been sponsored by County Superintendent J. W. Moseley and in this program which continues from day to day all through the school term the educational films are shown in 94 rural schools. These pictures, which cover such subjects as history, science, geography, nature studies and all kinds of school sports, aer used to supplement the regular class studies in the Various schools. In taking these films from place to place, Mr. Fielder and Mr. Burnside are constantly on the go, visiting two to three schools every day in the week. These films are shown right in the class rooms, while the broader entertaining films are shown in the auditoriums of the Junior and Senior High Schools at night.

Mrs. Rambo, 36, Dies In Ft. Worth

Mrs. Vera Mae Brock Rambo died February 23 at a Fort Worth Hospital following an operation. She was 36 years old and for many years lived in Fort Worth, where she was an active member of the Assembly of God Church. She was a devout Christian, having been converted at the age of 15.

Mrs. Rambo was the granddaughter of the late D. D. Callis. She is survived by her husband, H. D. Rambo, 3300 Avenue E. Fort Worth; her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brock; Mrs. Ruby Broyles, Mrs. Lenorah Walker, Alton Brock, Moranah Brock and Avery Brock, all of the Callis Community, in Collin County; Mrs. Fannie Quillin of Nocona, Dan Brock of Wolfe City, Evan B. Brock of Brownwood and a host of other relatives who survive.

Rev. Earl J. Patton Conducts Funeral Gainesville Man

Rev. Earl J. Patton, Pastor of the First Methodist Church in this city, accompanied by Mrs. Patton, was called to Gainesville one day this week to conduct funeral services for Edgar Turner, well-known Gainesville hotel man for many years. Services were conducted in the chapel of the Carroll Funeral Home of that city.

The deceased was President and Manager of the Turner Hotel in that city, having been connected with that large hotel for nearly fifty years, he and his brother, Luther, being the largest stockholders. His brother will succeed him as President and Manager. The Turner hotel was named for their father, who established the business in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stewart and son, Joe B., of Wylie, visited their sister, Mrs. A. H. Eubanks and family and other relatives here recently.

January Term District Court Comes To Close

For the convenience of persons who may have important legal matters to be brought before the Fifty-Ninth District Court, District Judge Tom Suggs states that he will be available to such persons, assuring them that they will not have to wait until the regular term of court. Judge Suggs makes it a practice to hold court every Saturday during the official recess.

The January term closed Saturday, to reconvene April 28.

During the last two days of the term two divorces were granted.

The following pleas of guilty were entered and fines and sentences imposed:

Holbert Lee Phillips, charged with theft over $50.00, was given two years in the State Penitentiary and also three months additional when he pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated.

William Keith Fairman pleaded guilty to a charge of attempting to pass a forged check and was given two years in the State Penitentiary.

J. D. Vandergriff was sentenced to 90 days in the County Jail and fined $200.00, on a charge of theft of turkeys. He pleaded guilty.

James Drake, (colored), was given six month in the County Jail when he pleaded guilty to a charge of aggravated assault.

The following pleaded guilty to driving while intoxicated and were each given the minimum penalty of $50.00 fine and costs and five days in jail: L. C. James, Gene Ross and Clyde Newby.

Band Concert Well Attended At Hi School

Between 500 and 600 attended the Concert of the McKinney High School Band presented Friday night in the High School Auditorium and everyone agreed it was one of the finest ever given by this talented young musical organization.

The concert was directed by Prof. Stewart Jernigan, band director, and every number was enthusiastically applauded. The young musicians showed the result of splendid training, especially in the rendition of famous Selections from Franz Schubert and the overture "Eronica," which is a National High School contest number.

Men Returned To California

Two young men, ages 26 and 23, who were taken in custody by Sheriff W. E. Button and his deputies, left for Salinas, California Wednesday in company with Deputy Sheriff J. L. McCoy of that city, who had come to McKinney for the men. The men are charged with the theft of a car in California. They waived extradition.

The splendid work of Sheriff Button and his Deputies in the case is receiving commendation. On the day of their arrest Sheriff Button received a wire from Sheriff Alex. H. Bordges of Monterey County, California, telling him to look out for the two men and the stolen car. The car, a 1941 Chevrolet maroon color, was not registered.

Sheriff Button was advised that the men were supposed to have relatives in Collin County. Within three hours' time, Sheriff Button and his Deputies had apprehended two young men at Wylie and recovered the car. The men were brought to McKinney and held here pending the arrival of the California officer Wednesday.

Agent McCullough Unable To Attend Meeting In Dallas

Because of the press of other matters requiring his attention, Jack McCullough, County Agricultural Agent, was unable to attend a meeting of the Directors of the Texas County Agricultural Agents' Association, held at Fort Worth at noon Saturday. These meetings are always held while the Fat Stock Show is in progress in Fort Worth.

Agent McCullough last year was the first President of the Agents' Association. He is now a member of the Board of Directors.

Mrs. Willie Brown and little son, Billy Frank, have returned from a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Williams in Corsicana. Mr. and Mrs. Williams accompanied their daughter and grandson home. While in Corsicana Mrs. Brown was a guest of Mrs. J. C. West for a style show luncheon at the Kinsole House.

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Editorial Expression

God measures to us according to our abilities.—James A. Simon.

Helena, Mont., law prohibits tying horses to any thing but a hitching post of which there are none, and that's the hitch.—Ft. Smith Southwest American.

Drifting from one job to another, looking for "something better," usually wastes the best years of life. Far wiser it is to look for something better right in the job you have. It isn't which ladder you climb, it's the climbing that is all-important.

Friends and well-wishers were thoughtful of Pauline Pfeffer, of Boston, when she was confined recently with a marathon attack of hiccoughs. There were 277 suggested "cures" sent to the hospital, but none was tried. Some of them were: Explode firecrackers under year bed, whistle through your teeth, hold your eardrums and hum.

Supplying 30,000 pounds of butter by one firm in a month's time is a big job, to our way of thinking. But that's exactly what Cabell's, Inc., of this city is doing in the month of March. Low bidders on a government bid to supply that amount of butter to six army camps, the local milk products company is sending shipments twice weekly to Randolph, Brooks, and Kelly Field of San Antonio, the Air Corps Advanced Flying School of San Angelo, Fort D. A. Russell of Marfa, and Fort Clark of Spafford. Earle Cabell, General Manager of the local Cabell's plant, says that awarding of the contract to their plant, has resulted in a raise in the price of cream and milk, paid out to the farmers and dairymen of Collin County and North Texas and that the price now being paid by Cabell's is perhaps the highest in the State.

PRESIDENT BEGINS HIS NINTH YEAR.

The only President of the United States to attain a third term, President Franklin Delano Roosevelt entered this week upon his ninth year as Chief Executive of the nation. Our readers will recall that his first inaugural was on March 4. No special observance was planned by the great humanitarian President as he entered his ninth year, although the occasion was unique. He merely plugged away on a routine devoted primarily to defense and aid to Great Britain.

The Administration's preoccupation with these problems is reflected in Mr. Roosevelt's day-by-day engagements. The men with whom he consults most frequently now are William S. Knudsen and Sidney Hillman of the office for production management, the Secretaries of State, War and Navy, the top officers of the armed services, and diplomats.

Only three members of the original Roosevelt cabinet remain Secretaries Hull, Ickes and Perkins.

Mr. Roosevelt began his ninth year in the White House feeling a bit under par—he had a head cold. But, the President can "take it" and soon he'll be O. K. again.

Fortunate is this nation in having such a man in the President's chair in these trying times.

BALKAN RACE.

Turkey is subjected to a severe test of its officially endorsed but not officially sponsored view of the accord with Bulgaria, says the Dallas News. That agreement, the Turkish press has asserted, has made it incumbent on Bulgaria not to permit a German attack on Greece. In the surrender of Bulgaria to the Axis, such an attack becomes imminent, presaged by the Sunday advance of Nazi detachments to Greek towns on the Bulgarian border. Today Aegean Thrace is seriously threatened unless Greece agrees to a peace with Italy. Neither Greece nor Turkey can be lulled into any sense of permanent security even by the terms of such a peace.

If the now threatened inclusion of Yugoslavia in the Axis is consummated, Greece will find itself completely isolated on the tip of the Balkan peninsula. Its only aid is in Turkey and in the British fleet, air force and army with no considerable bases closer than North Africa. Turkey's self-interest compels defense of the remaining slice of Turkey-in-Europe North of the Sea of Marmora.

Closing of the Dardanelles is indication enough of Turkish anxiety. Greece, meanwhile, has evidenced its own disposition to toss an anchor to windward by refusing to accept British troops on its mainland, waiting on eventualities. Greece may not want to complicate a possible peacemaking with the Axis by embracing wholeheartedly alliance with the British against Germany.

Greece has appealed to ou government for advice. The futility in that is self-evident. What advice can Mr. Roosevelt give Greece? He can tell the Greek Government that we sympathize with it. If the lease-lend bill passes, he can afford some material aid. But Greece faces an emergency which might be overcome if the remains of democratic civilization stood together. It can be assumed without too much mental pessimism that the remaining civilization of democracy is not going to do that in time to aid Greece.

Really, you'd expect anybody fishing in North Africa to have plenty of sand.

Meals for German soldiers are now served in capsules, we read, but we are waiting on the official communique from the mess sergeant for confirmation.—Shreveport Journal.

A young robber-to-be picked the wrong victim when he decided to stop Mrs. Madeline Parazo, of Grand Rapids, Mich. She knocked him down when he demanded her purse.

Don't waste life in doubts and fears; spend yourself on the work before you, well assured that the right performance of this hour's duties will be the best preparation for the hours or ages that follow it.—Emerson.

Some folks must have spent their last cent obtaining 1941 automobile registrations. Three purses were found in the motor vehicles department office in New Britain, Conn., Saturday after the last day rush ended, all empty.

The average American male bought only one-third of a suit last year, according to statistical reports on the clothing industry. There are no figures for the women, but we suppose if Miss Average American girl bought only one-fourth of a dress she would still be able to wear it and look perfectly stunning.—Shreveport Journal.

All the folks around Meridian, Miss., are mighty proud of Mrs. Wilmer Munn. For Mrs. Munn, who is only 12 years old, is the mother of a 12-pound son, born a few days ago. Her husband is 17 years old. Mr. and Mrs. Munn were married in April, 1940, and the wife was 12 years old last December. Both mother and baby are in fine health. And in Leitchfield, Ky., Mrs. Porter Lasley, 42, wife of a farmer, has attracted national attention by giving birth to quadruplets, three girls, and one boy. The Lasleys have eight other children, the oldest 23 and the youngest of which is only three.

Don't hustle and bustle around if you want to be a good chicken man, says Progressive Farmer. Chickens are very nervous creatures and when in high production are easily disturbed by noise or fast moving objects. Work in the chicken house should be efficiently done with rhythmic movements and uniform noises. Whistling, singing, or even talking by the attendant quiets the birds and allows them to know where he is at all times. The music also minimizes other sharp noises that cannot be avoided in doing the necessary work in the house. The attendant can do lots to prevent slumps and erratic production by his conduct.

HARRY A. OLMSTED.

The last twenty-five years have been years of remarkable growth in Dallas, says the Dallas Times Herald. The population has doubled and there has been development and expansion in every direction. During this period of progress and achievement, one of the outstanding civic and business leaders has been Harry A. Olmsted, who died Thursday.

In his boundless energy, foresight, unusual ability, unflagging enthusiasm, and breadth of interest, Mr. Olmsted virtually personified what has become known as the Dallas spirit. His usefulness to this city could hardly be overestimated.

Mr. Olmsted, a native of Evanston, Ill., came to Dallas in 1907. As a leader in the paper industry, he rapidly gained prestige in the business of the Southwest. But his versatility and his capacity for work led him into other fields.

When there were big things to be done, Mr. Olmsted was called upon to do them. But he did not wait for projects to be launched by others. He was always on the alert for opportunities to speed the growth of Dallas, and was conspicuous for his initiative.

The positions he held are too numerous to list. As President of the State Fair of Texas, a member of Ulrickson committee, Chief of the Centennial Exposition, his services were particularly notable. But he was director in many private concerns, active in the Chamber of Commerce, and, as busy as he was, he found time for church work, lodge activity, and for membership in numerous clubs and fraternities.

Yet, as hard as Mr. Olmsted worked, he retained his sense of humor. He knew how to relax and enjoy life. His cheerfulness and his ability to adapt himself to spirit of the occasion, won him a host of friends. His passing takes from Dallas a citizen that it can ill afford to lose.

THE KING TRADE.

King Alfonso XIII was a "boy king" when we defeated his army and navy and took over the remains of the Spanish Empire, which once had made the Spanish Hapsburgs the most powerful family in the world, says the Chicago Daily News. With the characteristic American trait of being sorry for the guy you've licked, it was no wonder that Alfonso, for all his manifest failings, became rather popular with Americans. Had it not been for the Spanish revolution a great effort to have him visit California for the last San Francisco World Fair, would have been made by the promoters.

Californians, too, love a king, and the Spanish monarchy out there retained a bit of the same sort of prestige that the British monarchy never has lost, as the recent American visit of George and Elizabeth proved.

The passing of Alfonso might seem to call for another piece on the decline of the king business—but it is in such a depression after all? The Hapsburg, Bourbons, Hohenzollerns and Romanoffs are through. The House of Savoy is now in the hands of "mayor of the palace," as were the descendants of Clovis in France once upon a time, and as was the Mikado under the Shogun. But Mussolini may prove but a temporary jailer.

The synthetic king of Norway is in exile, the House of Orange-Nassau, brainest of the bunch, still rules the empire of the East Indies. The king of the Belgians is the only monarch bagged by Hitler so far.

But in Britain the Hanoverian stock seems to be going up. George VI is the first British king to fight in a real battle since George II was licked by Marshal Saxe and his Irish brigade at Fontnoy. George VI fought at Jutland and now the Luftwaffe is bombing his house in Windsor and trying to push him around as no king has been pushed in Britain since the Danes harried the great Alfred. But that makes a king solid with his folks.

Another view of the king business would be bullish indeed. When did such Model No. 1 kings as Adolf, Benito and Joe stride the earth before? Everywhere the Model I king was a sort of cross between Sitting Bull and Jesse James, and, as for the larceny part of it, where could one find more authentic types with more taking ways than Adolf, Benito and Joe?

For they conquer who believe they can.—Virgil.

No one wants a crank around except when the starter on the car is broken.

And isn't it true that one's credit is always good when one tries to borrow trouble?

To have what you want is riches but to be able to do without is power.—George MacDonald.

The pleasantest things in the world are pleasant thoughts, and the great art in life is to have as many of them as possible.—C. N. Bovee.

Britain's "Who's Who" still carried Hitler's telephone number as 11-6191, but more Englishmen are calling him down than calling him up these days.—Des Doines Register.

No one profits by being wasteful. We waste time, we waste money, we waste effort—worst of all, we waste opportunity. Occasionally we do find a man frugal in all these things—and he can write his own ticket.

HIGH TIDES REVEAL TREASURE ON BEACH.

Beachcombing is a profitable occupation at Hermosa Beach, Calif., after high tides have swept that stretch of the West Coast. Scavengers have only to search the sands of the white, sloping beach to come upon coins and jewels.

A popular resort summer and winter, the beach is thronged with swimmers and sunbathers the year round. They sit or sprawl in the sands. Their pockets fall open. Change slips out. Even rings come off their fingers.

Dropping into the fine, soft sand, the compacts and watches and rings and money are covered over. Later, when a beach visitor misses his money or his trinkets, he has forgotten where he was sitting at the time.

When high tides occur the waves carry off the surface sand, exposing the heavy valuables. That's the signal for "beachcombers" to search the sands as soon as the tides recede.

They scurry about finding half dollars, quarters, dimes, and pennies. The pickings are really easy. But those who are willing to dig to the treasure level—a crust of shells in the sand just above the water level—have a chance to find most of the valuables, which are caught by the crust as they float by.

David Perumean, a systematic beach miner, has found $50 in coins in five days, in addition to gold rings and jewelry. Other searches have yielded him keys, watches, knives, medals, a small box camera, and 15 lead soldiers.

SENIOR CHAMBER OFFICIALS RE-ELECTED.

Praise is due the officers of the McKinney Senior Chamber of Commerce, who were re-elected at the Friday afternoon meeting of Directors and members. Their re-election speaks highly of the splendid type of work done during the past year and presages another equally successful year for the Senior Chamber.

The officers, elected for another year, include Thos. Johnson, President; C. H. Ray, First Vice President; Jack R. Ryan, Second Vice President, and W. Hammond Moore, Secretary.

New Directors of the Senior Chamber this year are Postmaster Don O. Davis and J. C. Stewart, prominent McKinney banker.

Describing a Chamber of Commerce as "a forum for economic thought of the community," President Johnson commended the work of the organization and the willingness to serve of the Directors and members. All McKinney is proud of its two civic organizations, the Senior and Junior Chambers. Both organizations, of the active membership of each citizen in McKinney.

Also elected at the same meeting were officials of the Collin County Free Fair, and the newly-elected officials indicate another successful year for that county-wide exposition. Elton Riggs, prominent in business, civic and church circles, was elected President, succeeding George W. James, another outstanding McKinney business man; W. B. Mitchell was re-elected First Vice President, and W. Hammond Moore was re-elected Secretary.

To all these officials, both new and re-elected, we join with their many other friends in wishing them well and in extending congratulations to both organizations for selection of able, well qualified men, all of whom are well-fitted for the positions of trust and honor to which they have been elected.

COST OF GERMAN "PROTECTION."

We have learned much of the terrible hardships and sometimes death suffered by the citizens, in countries seized by Germany, who fail to appreciate the benevolent "protection" of Hitlerism, says the "New Age." We know of the tortures that go on in the concentration camps and ghettos of Austria, Czechoslovakia, Poland and Germany itself. We know of the anguish of the friends and relatives of the victims in the Hitlerized areas. We know of the scanty food supplies, the lack of other necessities of life, of the enforced labor in the German "protected" countries, and we hear constant appeals from the undernourished women and children in those countries of the "new order."

But this is not all. We are learning of how Hitler exacts, from the "protected" countries, the cost of his army—demands which further enslave his "protectorates" and deepen the terror and anguish of their people—while he gets ready to wipe out the British Empire and later attempt an invasion of the Western Hemisphere.

It is claimed that Hitler's assessments from his "protectorates" is the equivalent of 15 per cent of Germany's day-to-day war costs. His exactions appear to be based entirely on what the "traffic will bear." The daily assessments on France in French currency is about 400,000,000 francs, or 20,000,000 reichsmarks.

Under a program of taking everything for itself, which is the avowed goal of the "new order," Hitler forces his "protectorates" to send him all food and material available in excess of their needs, which he pares down to the meagerest level that will allow them to survive and keep on producing.

From statements of national bank returns, it is claimed that the excess of imports over normal exchange has already reached, in the case of France, more than 3,500,000,000 reichsmarks, and from five of the countries which he seized, not including Rumania, the total is estimated at more than 5,500,000,000 reichsmarks.

Once in the clutches of Hitlerized Germany, what a prolific source of reichsmarks would be the British Empire and the United States, to say nothing of South America.

25 YEARS AGO IN M'KINNEY

FROM THE FILES OF THE DAILY COURIER-GAZETTE

(March 2, 1916.)

Some time during last night the Allen meat market was entered by burglars. Entrance was effected by prying the lock off the front screen door. A total of $1.65 in change was taken.

J. Oliver Nash is now editor of the Blue Ridge Herald, succeeding Editor E. R. Gibson. Mr. Nash is a practical printer, a good writer and will make the Herald a first-class newspaper.

A new cement walk is being put down on the east side of the old Marcom property on North Kentucky Street. An old plank walk is being repaired on the south side of the property.

W. B. Mitchell will open another new drug store, his third one. Mr. Mitchell will open in the new building on North Kentucky Street, formerly occupied by W. H. Franklin.

Mr. R. W. Davenport, who has just completed a nice, new rent bungalow, on North Tennessee Street, started another one today. This will greatly help the looks of North Tennessee.

Contractor L. M. Miller is home from a trip to Terrell, where he is engaged in a big contract. He is one of the busiest contractors of our city, perfectly reliable and a very clever gentleman.

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(March 3, 1916.)

Richard Hudson of Farmersville, Pure Food Commissioner, is in the city today, making an inspection of the grocery stores.

The girls' basketball team of the Boyd High School and Plano High School will play here at the Boyd High tomorrow afternoon. Everyone is urged to attend.

A special program will be rendered by the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church, Sunday night, March 5.

Defiance Lodge, No. 28, Knights of Pythias, has been invited to go to Plano next Monday night to put on the three ranks for the lodge at that place.

Hon. Andrew L. Randell of Sherman, a candidate for Congress from this the Fouth Congressional District, has been a visitor in McKinney, several times, recently, in the interest of his campaign.

This evening at 7:30 o'clock at the North McKinney Baptist Church, the Senior B. Y. P. O. will tender a reception in honor of the new pastor-elect, Rev. H. S. Snow and wife of Fort Worth.

W. P. Foster of the city has moved back to his farm near Rhea Mills. He rented his residence on North Church Street to Arthur Hill, whose home on Heard Street, was recently damaged by fire.

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(March 6, 1916.)

Mrs. Otto Kendall and baby of Plano are guests at the home of her mother, Mrs. Hattie Scott, North Church Street.

Agent Johnson of the Katy informs us that 100 men are working rebuilding the Katy system between Greenville and McKinney. They have so far, reached Floyd, coming this way.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Melton, who reside at Cottage Hill are the proud parents of a baby boy. Mrs. Melton is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Bagwill of this city.

Mrs. T. J. Alexander and little daughter of Teague, Texas, have joined Mr. Alexander here, and they will make their home here in the future. He is proprietor of the Alexander Grocery Company.

M. T. Terrell for several years a resident of the Altoga community but who now resides, at Panhandle, Texas, sends us renewal to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette for another year for which he will accpt our thanks.

The funeral of J. M. Nelson, aged 75 years, who died at his Murphy home Friday night, was held at the Murphy Baptist Church Sunday afternoon. Burial was made in the Plano Cemetery under the auspices of the Odd Fellows Lodge of Murphy.

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(March 7, 1916.)

J. A. Garrison has been appointed by the City School Board as Census enumerator for McKinney. All children between the ages of 7 and 17 inclusive are to be listed.

Edgar Ousley of Celina was in McKinney Monday transacting business. His father, J. C. Ousley, who is one of the most prominent citizens of that section of Collin County, was also in McKinney Monday.

G. A. (George) Sullivan of Cason, Texas, for many years a citizen of McKinney, but who is now engaged in business, at Cason, was shaking hands with friends here in McKinney today.

Dr. H. C. Compton of Westminster Baptist Academy was here Monday morning and was in conference with Dr. E. E. King in regard to the educational campaign, which is being carried on in this county.

Rev. Walter P. Jennings, pastor of the First Christian Church in this city, has been invited by the Foreign Missionary Society of the Christian Church to accompany its team of returned missionaries on their lecture tour of the state.

J. W. O'Gwin, aged 58 years, died at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. J. S. M. Brock, three miles northwest of McKinney, Sunday night of paralysis. He and his wife moved here from Fort Worth about six months ago. He was a builder and contractor. Burial was in Pecan Grove Cemetery.

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(March 8, 1916.)

Mrs. H. L. Davis went to Fort Worth this morning to visit her son, Lyman, a student in T. C. U.

J. H. Walters, who lives two-and-one-half miles south of Westminster, places and advertisement in our classified column, advertising his Big German Millet seed for sale.

We are grateful to D. E. Morrison, who resides five miles south of town, subscribes for the Weekly Democrat-Gazette which he sends to his daughter, Mrs. W. C. Whitson, at Sherman.

The local lodge of Elks is making plans for a big time at its meeting Thursday night. Mr. Chas. Batsell of Sherman, District Deputy to the Grand Exalted Ruler, will make his official visit.

Prof. A. M. Blackman, the eminent Collin County educator, who was recently sent to the National Meeting of City School Superintendents, at Detroit, Michigan, by the Plano School Board, made some very interesting comments on his observations.

March 20-24 will be big days down at the State Capital city with the Texas newspaper men. The school of Journalism of Texas University will have a host of the Texas fourth estate boys with them. The McKinney cotton mill will send 250 printers' aprons to Austin to be given to newspaper men.

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(March 9, 1916.)

Mesdames G. E. Abernathy, William Abernathy and Belle McWilliams went to Dallas this morning to visit relatives and friends.

M. L. LaFollette and C. W. LaFollette, industrious farmers living on McKinney, Route 1, were business visitors to McKinney Wednesday. They both renewed their subscriptions to the Weekly Democrat-Gazette.

Mrs. F. F. Harris, a returned missionary from China will speak at the First Methodist Church Sunday evening. Mrs. Harris is an entertaining speaker and a large crowd is expected to attend. Everybody invited.

I. R. Dillow has just sold one of his good big black brood mares at a fancy price to Tuck Hill, who shipped her to Louisiana. Mr. Dillow has sold $725.00 worth of her colts and still has one of them easily worth $150.00.

Needle Craft Club met Friday, 3rd, in the home of Mrs. Jones Self. Eleven members responded to roll call. After the business session, the social hour was spent in exchanging ideas on fancy needle work. Our hostess, assisted by her sister Mrs. Bright served delightful refreshments.

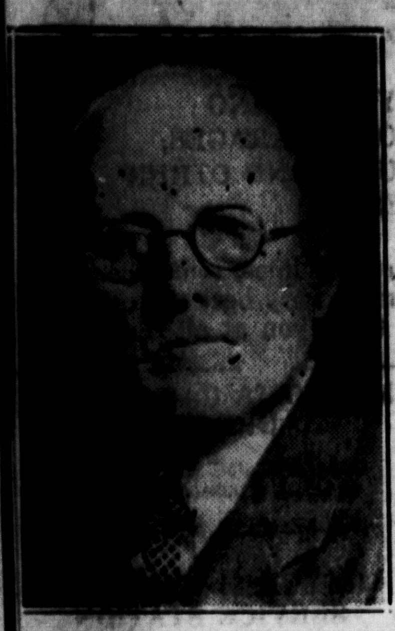
John P. A. Wallace has returned from a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Bettie Slaughter at Van Alstyne. He reports many dogs being killed up there as a result of a mad dog scare which was started by a little dog biting 38 people. The dog was found dead the next day. It was then developed that the dog died of hydrophobia. Nearly all parties bitten have gone to Austin to take pasteur treatment.

Two Huge Oil Trucks Enroute To Kelley Field

Four men of the Ground Crew in the Army Aviation Division at Kelly Field, San Antonio, passed through McKinney Wednesday afternoon, driving two huge oil trucks from Kansas City to Kelly Field. They were Autocar types of 8,000 gallons capacity each and each was towing a huge oil trailer.

The cars will be used at Kelly Field to convey aviation gasoline from the storage tanks to the plane hangers. The four young men left Kansas City with the tank cars Monday, they said. The two power units were equipped with six-wheel drives with five speeds forward, and three reverse. They were of the very latest type being made for the Army in connection with the tremendous National Defense program.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OFFICIALS RE-ELECTED



THOS. JOHNSON

C. H. RAY

JACK R. RYAN

Local Chamber, Fair Officials Are Selected

Officers were elected for both he McKinney Senior Chamber of ommerce and the Collin County ree Fair Association at the neeting of Chamber of Commerce Directors and members, held Fri- ay afternoon in the local C. of . rooms, with President Thos. ohnson presiding and Secretary V. Hammond Moore recording he Minutes.

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fficers Named.

Officers of the Senior Cham- er were re-elected to serve an- ther year, all being named to heir posts of duty by acclama- on after receiving the plaudits f the Directors and members resent.

Senior Chamber officers, who ere re-elected are:

Thos. Johnson, President.

C. H. Ray, First Vice Presi- nt.

Jack R. Ryan, Second Vice- resident.

W. Hammond Moore, Secretary.

Collin County Free Fair offic- s, also named at the meeting, e:

Elton Riggs, President.

W. B. Mitchell, Vice President.

W. Hammond Moore, Secretary.

Friday afternoon's meeting, the rst held since the annual ban- et and membership meeting st month, was a well-attended d interesting one, twenty-eight rectors and members being esent.

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resident Johnson Commended.

In nominating President John- n for a second term, First Vice resident C. H. Ray said it was stomary to use the draft these ys, recalling that President osevelt had been drafted for a ird term, Mr. Johnson, he said, d been loyal and faithful at all nes and that everyone who ew him admired him for his ncerity.

Mr. Johnson in responding to s re-election said that his first ar had been a real pleasure, and thanked the members for their loyalty and cooperation, pledging himself to give his best for the organization and its aims during 1941.

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Other Officers.

First Vice President C. H. Ray was placed in nomination for re-election by A. M. Scott, Former Senior Chamber President, who commended Mr. Ray's readiness at all times to work for the betterment of his home city, community and county. Mr. Ray, he said, served two years as President of the Collin County Free Fair, is active in church work, is a former President of the Lions Club and is now President of the McKinney Dads Club.

Second Vice President Jack R. Ryan was placed in nomination by former Chamber of Commerce President, R. C. Heathington, who commended the willingness to serve and the ability of this Chamber of Commerce official. He is active in all endeavors of a civic nature.

F. D. Perkins, also a former Chamber of Commerce President and past President of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, nominated W. Hammond Moore for re-election to the important post of Secretary of the organization, a post in which Mr. Moore has served ably and well. He referred to Mr. Moore as "the best Secretary of any Chamber of Commerce in the State of Texas."

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Elton Riggs Free Fair President.

In nominating Elton Riggs, prominent McKinney Business man, to the Presidency of the Collin County Free Fair, Joe E. Largent referred to the ability of this well-known and esteemed McKinney business, civic, and church leader. Mr. Riggs, he said, is a leader in church work, is a Past President of the McKinney Lions Club, member of the McKinney School Board, "and a man we respect for his business judgment." Mr. Largent, in his nomination address, said the Collin County Free Fair is one of the greatest institutions in the county, bringing together town and country and giving local citizens an opportunity to see the progress Collin farmers and livestockmen are making.

Mr. Riggs succeeds George W. James, another well-known McKinney business man, who made an outstanding success as head of the Free Fair Association.

Henry W. Warden placed in nomination Mayor W. B. Mitchell for re-election as Vice President of the Collin County Free Fair and commended his ability in this important County Free Fair post.

The new Directors, Postmaster Don O. Davis and J. C. Stewart, Active Vice President of the Central National Bank, were recognized by President Johnson.

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Members Present.

Attending Friday afternoon's meeting were: President Johnson, Secretary Moore, Clyde Doyle, Joe E. Largent, Alfred M. Scott, Jr., Gibson Caldwell, C. M. Cooper, F. B. Pope, W. P. Abernathy, A. M. Scott, R. C. Heathington, M. C. Johnson, C. H. Ray, Byron Hope, J. C. Stewart, Henry W. Warden, H. L. Shoap, A. L. Williams, Frank Smith, J. Ed Gibson, Vernon Crockett, Dr. J. M. Hooper, Don O. Davis, Ula Saunders, Jack R. Ryan, F. D. Perkins, Bill Finney, and Don W. Bagwill.

Assistant Farm Agent Assured In This County

Varied and interesting reports were heard at the meeting of the Senior Chamber of Commerce Directors and members, held Friday afternoon in the C. of C. rooms. The reports covered a wide range of activities, including good roads and agricultural progress, Jaycee activity, the Collin County Interscholastic League meet, health work, and school activity.

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Assistant County Agent.

Gibson Caldwell, who with W. Avery Dowell and J. Ed Gibson, fromed a special committee, reported on their efforts to secure an assistant County Agricultural Agent to assist Agent Jack McCullough in his many duties. Since Collin County is a diversified county, with wide interests in livestock and 4-H Club work, the work of the Collin County Agricultural Agent has grown until another person is a necessity to carry on the worthwhile program, Mr. Caldwell said.

The committee recently appeared before the County Commissioners Court, which received the suggestion eagerly, favoring the idea. Mr. Caldwell added that the new official is expected to be on the job within a few weeks.

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Highway Progress.

F. B. Pope, member of the Highway Committee, told of the progress being made on Highway 24 and gave a detailed account of the activity in this and other nearby counties to build gaps in the East-West highway, which is of such great importance to this county. Highway 24, when completed, will be a splendid feeder for army camps, West of here.

F. D. Perkins, another member of the Highway Committee, said that Hon. Harry Hines, State Highway Commissioner, is favorable to Highway 24 and that he is doing everything possible to get the road completed in this and other North Texas Counties.

Roy C. Heathington, Councillor for the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, told of progress made in raising $300.00, the local membership quota. More than half that amount has been collected.

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School Activity.

Reporting on school progress, Superintendent Jack R. Ryan expressed himself as well pleased with the advancement of the McKinney Public School system, especially with the fact that more students are on the honor rolls. Recalling that three former McKinney High students were on the honor roll at T. C. U., in Fort Worth, as published in these papers a few days ago, he said that students capable of making the honor roll here will be equally capable of making it at college.

Calling attention to the McKinney High School Band concert Friday night, Superintendent Ryan declared there are numerous worthwhile activities of the students and asked that McKinney and community encourage them in the work they are doing. He commended the basketball team, winners of two districts, which advanced to the regional meet in Denton.

Some landscaping at the McKinney Gymnasium and also at the colored school is going on, adding to the beauty of these units in the McKinney Public School System. Shrubbery, taken from the premises of the Caldwell Sanitarium, now being razed, is being given for this purpose by Gibson and Roy Caldwell.

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Interscholastic League.

McKinney will again be the scene of the annual Collin County Interscholastic League Meet, this month and next, bringing thousands of Collin County school children and grownups to McKinney for the literary and athletic events, said C. H. Ray.

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Jaycee Report.

President Clyde Doyle of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, said that approximately $350.00 had been collected thus far by the Jaycees in their drive for $500.00 to equip the pre-natal clinic at the McKinney City Hospital. He thanked individuals, business firms and organizations for their aid in this worthy move. The Junior Owls have arranged to provide four complete changes of linens and other materials for the clinic. The Stamps quartet program, placing of milk bottles about the city, and personal and business donations have been responsible for the money thus raised. He thanked especially Alfred M. Scott, Jr., who is in charge of the campaign for his able assistance.

Mr. Scott, Jr., responded briefly, thanking everyone who had contributed, making this drive a success and predicted that with interest continuing in the campaign, the $500.00 soon will be reached.

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Health Unit Progress.

Dr. J. M. Hooper, Director, and Vernon Crockett, Sanitary Engineer of the City-County Health Unit, were recognized, both speaking briefly on the health program.

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F. D. Perkins Honored.

President Johnson referred to a story and picture concerning F. D. Perkins, former President of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, appearing in the organization's official magazine, "East Texas," in which Mr. Perkins was given high praise for his ability and his work in a civic way.

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By Mrs. W. P. Lewis

Regular services at the Methodist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Smith were in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Giles have been on the sick list.

Mrs. Hassie Morgan is ill with the flu.

Ray Luscomb visited his parents at Calera Sunday.

Mrs. S. L. Smith has been attending the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Keith at Van Alstyne.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pair and Miss Jewel Giles were in McKinney Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Luscombe and Mrs. Sid Turner were in Dallas Wednesday.

Miss Nell Powell visited Mr. and Mrs. Ross Davis near Celina.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clinton of Dallas were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roper and son Joe Rodney of Dallas visited relatives here last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fennell of McKinney visited her grandmother, Mrs. J. C. McAnally.

Miss Jean Dixon of Blue Ridge visited her sister Mrs. Raymond Vermillion

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Edwards Jr. spent the past week-end at Houston and Tom Ball.

A. L. Harkins Jr., of Dallas visited his parents last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Normand Cadenhead of Dallas visited Mr and Mrs. L. T. Cadenhead Sunday.

Edith Ann and Trice Edwards spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Dowell Powell at Tom Bean.

Mrs. Zoe Cartwright and Mrs. Ben Rattan were Dallas visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Baldwin and son of Denton visited here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. McCarley of Dallas were guests of Mrs. Cordie Ivy.

Mrs. W. O. Haun of Dallas was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Basket.

Miss Coonie Estep of Dallas was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Estep.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Terry of McKinney visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shirley.

Miss Anna Bell West chaperoned a skating party at Weston Friday night.

Mrs. Sam Hagin, Betty Jane and Mary Sue Hagin were McKinney visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knox of McKinney visited Mrs. Lillie McCollum Sunday.

Roy Turner and Judd Estep were business visitors at Fort Worth.

Walter Bradsaw returned to his home at Childress Friday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bradshaw.

Corporal Jack Morgan of Ft. Sill, Okla., visited his mother, Mrs. Hassie Morgan last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bryant and children of Dallas were guests of her mother Mrs. J. Wes Hendricks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Griffin and Mrs. S. L. Bradshaw attended the funeral of a relative at Van Alstyne Sunday.

M. C. Powell Jr., and Judd Estep went to Little Rock, Ark., last week where they took a load of oats for M. C. Powell, local grain dealer.

Mr. and Mrs Clay Riggins, Mrs. Fannie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Strother, R. F. Strother, John Strother and W. G. Strother and wife attended the funeral of Mrs. Patra Moore at Van Alstyne.

Dr. and Mrs. Ray Largent and Raymond Largent of McKinney and Miss Lorraine Shirley of Fort Worth attended the birthday dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Shirley Sunday honoring their daughter Jane.

R. J. Edwards Jr., who has been principal of the grammar school and High school football coach for the past few years has resigned his position here to begin teaching Monday in a Junior High school at Houston. His family will move there soon.

A dinner was given in the home of Mrs. Lillie McCollum recently honoring her on her birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and son Bob Henry; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brinlee, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Knox of McKinney.

A dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lewis, Sunday honoring her mother Mrs. W. M. Estep on her birthday. The following were present and brought well filled baskets for the happy occasion: Mr. and Mrs. Tom Knox and son, Tommy; Mrs. J. A. Kistler and daughter Barbara of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Drury and son of Blue Ridge and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Estep and family.

NEW HOPE

By Mrs. John Curry, Corr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bates were in Dallas last week.

Mrs. T. J. Calton, Helen and J. W. Calton visited Melvin Walls and wife at Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Allen and daughter Jerretta visited Jim Allen and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Preston of McKinney visited Mr. nd Mrs. Jimmie Bomar Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith of Melissa spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brazeal and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bates visited Mr. and Mrs. Cut Lowery and family of Foote.

E. L. Gunter, wife and son Jackie spent Sunday with Fred Bates and wife.

Mrs. Annie May Calton and baby spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Clint Recer and family of Milligan.

Ernest Herring and family of Princeton spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Brown.

Mrs. E. Bomar spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Edwards of Westminster.

Fred Bates and wife spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gunter and son Jackie.

Mrs. T. J. Harris and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore and family at Bloomdale.

Mr. and Mrs. John Curry and family spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Froffit and daughter, May.

Fourth Sunday singing will be at New Hope. We have singing every Thursday night here. Everybody invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Brooks visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Brooks of McKinney.

H. C. Trammell of Dallas, Shorty Trammel of Heburn and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Christian all spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Trammell and family.

Several visitors at church Sunday night. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Tarvin, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Gunter, Mr. and Mrs. Dock Nickles and Mrs. Akins and two sons.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Bates were Miss Dorothy Bates and J. W. Bates of McKinney; also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bates and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bates and family.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Curry were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Boren and family of Altoga; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moffett and family of Milligan; Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Curry and family of Chambersville and Silas Brooks and wife.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Savage were Frank Savage, Mr. and Mrs. Criss Savage and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Savage and son, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sprigfield, Mr. and Mrs. Person and granddaughter, Marie all of Van Alstyne and Mr. and Mrs. Till Honeycut of McKinney.

George Jones Host To Boys Cage Quintet

George Jones, father of Sid Jones, Manager of the McKinney High School Basketball squad, entertained the boys at a steak dinner at the Wood's Cafe Thursday night.

Sixteen members of the squad were present and a delightful time was enjoyed by all. No program was carried out but it was just a general good time get-together.

Coach Swede McMurry and team members take this occasion to thank Mr. Jones for his appreciated treat. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the affair.

Part Played By Rubber In Defense Program Depicted

Local showing of a spectacular sound motion picture depicting the important part played by rubber in the National Defense, was enjoyed Monday night at a meeting of the Dads Club, brought here by Horn & White.

Subject of the film is "Goodyear Shoulders Arms," produced by Pathe News for the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company. Edwin C. Hill, famed radio news reporter, is commentator for the film which traces the development of the current war's beginnings as far back as the Fall of 1936 in Spain and develops Mar's march across Europe, pointing out that America's method of life is a challenge to the powers that would destroy Democracy.

The picture carries the thread of this line of approach to show peaceful pursuits in America as contrasted to those in Europe, warning that this country must quickly forge its defense for the preservation of the worthwhile way of life as residents of the United States know it.

From this point on the film pictures the Goodyear story of rubber production and fabrication, its research, the company's development of lighter-than-air craft, balloons, plane wheel and brake assemblies, self-sealing gas tanks, Life Guard tubes, flotation gear for forced landings of planes and crews, mechanized tank treads, gas masks and so down a long list of defense units now rolling off the assembly lines at Goodyear plants.

In conclusion the film dramatically points out that rubber fights for democracy today and is prepared, if necessary, to fight for it tomorrow.

Well planned, carefully photographed and intelligently edited, the motion picture, "Goodyear Shoulders Arms," has a timely appeal, is highly instructive, and carries pertinent defense preparation information in which every American will be interested.

Arrangements for first local showing of the film, which has been acclaimed by press and government representatives in major cities, were made through the cooperation of Horn and White.

CULLEOKA

By Mrs. E. B. Douglas

Mrs. Roy Akin is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulmont Snavely of Dallas visited here Friday.

Lawrence McGraw's eye is improving.

Miles Welborn and son Buster and Howard Lee Poston made a business trip to Fort Worth.

Miss Hallie Campbell of Dallas is attending the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Roy Akin.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Sisco of Nevada visited Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Douglas.

Doyle Odil and Chester Douglas went to Sulphur Springs for a load of wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton McGraw have purchased a new electric refrigerator.

Shropshire and family of Farmersville visited Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. James Poston are in Dallas. James is working in a tin shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Bryan sepnt last week-end with her parents in Commerce.

Joe Enloe wife and son Billie visited relatives in McKinney Sunday.

Mrs. Velma Beane and Mary Ann visited in Oklahoma last week-end.

Jeff Welborn and Truman Butler made a business trip to Texarkana.

Mrs. S. J. Judd recently visited her daughter, Mrs. Susie Andrews and other relatives at McKinney.

Buster Kimberlin and family of Denison visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Wilson, Sunday.

Miss Beulah Mae Morrow and Miss Gracie Mounger spent the week-end in McKinney with Mr. and Mrs. Porter Judd.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jordan and children visited Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Smith of Prairie Grove Sunday.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Nickerson were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rickman of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Bonds of Chambersville, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bonds of Mesquite and Ardell Hood of Mt. Pisgah.

CLIMAX

By Wilma McComic, Corr.

Jack Vannevers our principal was in McKinney Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook Clay were in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan McMahan and son Jackie were in McKinney Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Shipman of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shipman Sunday.

Friends of Mrs. Myrtle Willis surprised her with a birthday shower.

Mrs. Ira McComic spent Wednesday with Mrs. Annie Wright of Sister Grove.

Mrs. Opal Bass and daughter of Dallas visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Recer.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Belew spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shipman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myrick and children Billie and Toy were in Dallas.

Dallas Sisco and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira McComic.

Lee Anderson and family spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Mandy Anderson.

Crockett Maynor and family visited his son, Wilbern Maynor and family.

Willie Miller, Alvin Harbin and Earl McCoy were fishing at Lake Dallas.

Smith Kite who teaches at Milligan attended church here Sunday.

Mrs. Minerva Long of McKinney spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Shipman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Myrick and son Billie spent Tuesday with Mrs. Clifford Kemp and Mrs. Laura Barnett of Blue Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Hervey Langley and children of Culleoka spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Recer.

Mrs. Lona Grisham and children Mirajonne and Mirian of Jacksboro are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harbin and other relatives at Verona.

Ft. Worth Passes Huge Bond Issue For Bomber Plant

Fort Worth will issue bonds in the amount of $2,500,000 for establishment of a $10,000,000 bomber assembly plant in Fort Worth.

By a margin of more than fourteen to one, local voters favored the bond issue in a special election held Tuesday.

A county issue of $1,250,000 to build feeder roads to the plant location and several other roads in various parts of the county was voted by more than ten-to-one.

Four other city bond issues, totaling $1,750,000, to improve streets, city garage, incinerators and sewage disposal plant, carried by from three to seven-to-one.

ALTOGA

By Mrs. Geo. Moreland

Little John Lair Jr., is ill.

Mrs Raymond Poplen visited her sister near Blue Ridge.

Little Raydean and Weldon Lee Lawson have been ill.

Denson Patton and family of Alba visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vermillion.

Mrs. J. K. Moreland visited her daughter, Mrs. Charles Womble at Verona.

Troy Lawson and family visited Mrs. Cora Turner and family at Detroit.

Mrs. Mary Moreland is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Will Terrell at Routh.

Mrs. J. A. Carson is visiting her brother, Bill McClusky and wife in Dallas.

Obie Botsford and family of Milligan visited Mrs. Mary Moreland.

Mrs. Emma Womble of Princeton spent the past week-end with her sister Mrs. J. K. Moreland.

Miss Mae Anderson spent the week-end with relatives at Westminster.

Lawrence Collins of Denton visited his brother, Claud Collins and wife.

Walter Lawson, wife and children Lola Jean, Ray Dean and Weldon Lee visited relatives at Rockwall.

The W. M. S. met Monday with Mrs. Carl Dunn and quilted a quilt for Mrs. Jack Ray who has been ill for sometime.

Roscoe Gaither and Louis Bass of Brownwood visited their parents. Roscoe returned to camp Sunday but Louis became ill with flu and is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bass.

Mrs. Marvel Vermillion and daughter, Mrs. Rattan of Anna; Mrs. W. T. Dunn and Mrs. Eugene Howard of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Vermillion and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vermillion, Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah Poston was surprised with a birthday dinner Tuesday at the home of her nephew, Charlie Dunn. Dinner was served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Green Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gerron, Mrs. Nora Carson, Mrs. Curtis Nicholson and, son; Mesdames Jess Bates, S. B. Vermillion, Lora Walker, Jack Johnson, Henry Wilcox, Elmer Nichols, Henry Thomas, Sam Eastman, Fred Thomas, John Gaines and son, Noah Hale and daughter, Miss Sammie. Mrs. Poston received many nice gifts.

Hon. Clyde Doyle P.-T. A. Speaker

Justice of the Peace Clyde Doyle was the principal speaker at the P.-T. A. meeting of the J. H. Hill (Central) Ward School in McKinney Wednesday afternoon. The attendance was good and Judge Doyle's address was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present.

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Funeral Held Sunday For Fred Holman

Services were held at the Methodist Church at Wylie Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, for Fred Holman, well-known Collin County farmer, who was found dead at his home South of McKinney Friday morning.

Pallbearers were Albert Ingram, Dr. R. E. Morrow, A. J. Willis, Albert Taylor, J. C. Haggard, Tom Pickett, Ed Knight and Geo. Prettendon.

At the time of his untimely death Mr. Holman was 60 years of age. He was apparently in the best of health shortly before his body was found sitting upright in a chair in his farm home. Mrs. Holman was on a visit to her son, Morris Holman in Dallas. Besides his wife and son, the deceased leaves two daughters, Mrs. James A. Willis of McKinney and Miss Dallas Holman who is attending college in Denton. The Crouch Funeral Home had charge of funeral arrangements.

Officiating were Rev. J. P. Hinsley, formerly pastor of the South Wilcox Methodist Church of McKinney but now pastor of the Methodist Church at Cockrell Hill assisted by Rev. Felix Kindle, pastor of the Murphy Methodist Church. Tom Sneed, a close friend of the family, made a talk in which he paid a high tribute to the deceased.

Funeral Is Held Sunday For 18-Months-Old Son

The body of little Geldon Duane Belew, 18-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Belew, who passed away at the McKinney City Hospital about 11:45 o'clock Saturday morning, was laid to rest Sunday. Funeral services were conducted at the Pleasant Grove Church, East of McKinney, with the Harris Funeral Home in charge of the burial. The parents are the only survivors. Mr. Belew is connected with the Finney Bakery.

Rev. Milton Greer, Pastor of the Pleasant Grove Church, performed the funeral services and a large number of close friends of the bereaved parents attended. The floral offerings were very beautiful, showing that a host of friends extended the family condolence in the loss of their little infant.

Bill Finney, J. H. Ramsey, Charles Coffey and Buck Seely served as pallbearers.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brown attended the Ever-Sharp Broadcast in Dallas Sunday night.

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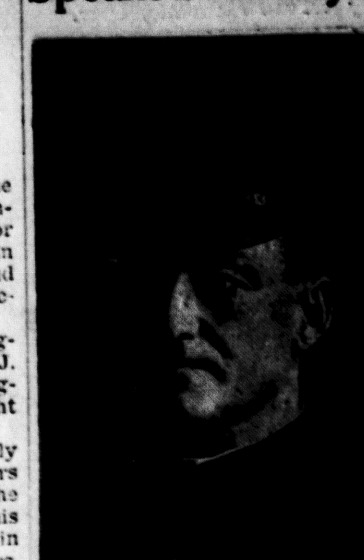

CAPT. J. A. BENTON

Capt. J. A. Benton Speaks Saturday

Several of the measures of legislation now before the House of Representatives in Austin, some of which are being considered in committee, were explained to a large crowd of Collin County voters at a mass meeting Saturday afternoon, March 8, by Capt. J. A. Benton of Wylie, Flotorial Representative from Collin and Grayson Counties.

The meeting was held in the Fifty-Ninth District Courtroom of the Courthouse, which was fairly well filled.

Capt. Benton told of his opposition to the proposed bill, now in committee, that would increase the truck-load weight to 40,000 pounds.

The speaker scored U. S. Senator Burton K. Wheeler for his active opposition to President Roosevelt's Aid-To-Britain bill now before Congress.

Capt. Benton's remarks were well received and he was frequently interrupted by loud applause.

T. R. Wheeler, 71, Passes Away At McKinney Home

Funeral services for Thomas Richard Wheeler, well-known citizen of McKinney for the past twenty-five years, who died Friday afternoon at his home, 1417 West Street, where held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the North Baptist Church. He had been in poor health for the past two years.

The services were conducted by two well-known ministers, Rev. S. D. Lindsey, and Rev. John G. Moore, Pastor of the Colonial Baptist Church of Dallas, who was formerly a resident of McKinney.

The deceased was born in Walker County, Ga., August 1, 1869 the son of Calvin and Elizabeth Wheeler, who preceded him in death. Mr. Wheeler moved to Texas 33 years ago and for 25 years he had lived in McKinney and was loved and respected by all who knew him.

His father was born in England and his mother was a native of Georgia. The deceased was a devoted member of the Baptist Church for many years. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. T. R. Wheeler, and the following children: Mrs. Will Walthall, McKinney; Mrs. Charles Shipman, Dallas; Frank Wheeler and Tom Wheeler of Dallas; Jim Wheeler of Pampa, Texas and John Wheeler of Fort Worth. There are also twelve grandchildren.

Following the services in McKinney the body was conveyed to Dallas where interment took place in the Garden of Memories. The Crouch Funeral Home had charge of the funeral arrangements.

Pallbearers were: Leslie Lusk, Vernon Lusk, Willie Scott, Mr. Dobbins, S. E. Shipman and Jess Kuykendall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Waide and daughters, Alice Sue and Virginia Lea, of Donithan, Mo., are spending the week in McKinney with his Mother, Mrs. Chas. Waide.

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Two members of the Blue Ridge school faculty have resigned within the last few days. Mrs. Kathryn Cook left for Huntsville where her husband is attending college, and her place as seventh grade teacher is expected to be filled soon. Miss Dorothy Porter, third grade teacher, resigned and has been replaced by Miss Loretta Garrison of Paris.

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Northwest Corner Square

Founding Of AAA Is Observed At County-Wide Meet

A large attendance was present at the County Farm Bureau Rally Saturday night in the District Courtroom here to celebrate the Eighth Anniversary of the founding of the AAA.

Highlights of the meeting were the broadcasts from Washington by President Franklin D. Roosevelt, Vice President Henry A. Wallace and Secretary of Agriculture Claude Wickard. The three used twenty minutes' time, broadcasting their message to the farmers of the Nation whom, they said, were gathered in 9,000 Farm Bureau meetings throughout the United States to commemorate the occasion.

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Outlines Aims.

County Agricultural Agent Jack McCullough welcomed the representative crowd and turned the meeting over to Charles Dooley of Plano, President of the County Bureau, who outlined the aims and purposes of the organization and urged the farmers of Collin County to stand together on all issues affecting agriculture in this county. He referred to the well organized groups in industry and labor and said the farmers should be just as well organized.

J. W. Neal, prominent Princeton banker, the next speaker, gave the farmers and others present a heart-to-heart talk on "what we can accomplish if we stand together," and he advanced many important suggestions on how this could be done.

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Stamp Plan Explained.

Details of the workings of the "Stamp" plan as it applies to cotton were explained at length by J. B. Mooney, Collin County ACA Secretary. This was followed by questions put to Mr. Mooney, all of which he answered quickly and to everyone's satisfaction.

Miss Helen Dunlap, Home Demonstration Agent in Collin County, reported that under her supervision in 1940 families of this county had made and are now using their homes, 2,260 cotton mattresses and that she had applications for 2,600 for this year.

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Mattress Program Beneficial.

Miss Dunlap pointed out that this part of the Government's work among the rural families is beneficial in two ways. It consumes surplus cotton and provides families with mattresses at very nominal cost. She explained that 226 bales of Collin County cotton were consumed in this venture last year and the mattresses were furnished the families at a maximum of 65 cents each. The good ladies on the farms, she said, did the work under her guidance.

The meeting was brought to a close with a rousing "pep talk" by T. S. (Pat) Murphy, Secretary of the County Farm Bureau, who urged every man and woman present to go out and work for new members.

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Next Meeting of Bureau.

President Dooley announced the next meeting of the Farm Bureau will be held Tuesday night, April 8, and appointed Gerald Sontag of Frisco, Boyd Webb of McKinney and J. W. Neal of Princeton as the committee to arrange for the place and details of this meeting.

Scout Troop Is Honored By Local Church

Honoring the Boy Scout Troup of South McKinney, of which Jack Honea is Scoutmaster, the Girl's Auxiliary of King Memorial Baptist Church Friday night gave a dinner at the Church and there were 33 girls and Scouts present.

Louie Sullivan opened the meeting with the invocation and Frank Smith extended greetings. The address of the occasion was delivered in a masterful manner by Jim Cantrell, District Clerk of the Fifty-Ninth District Court and prominent in civic and social activities of McKinney. Everyone then joined in singing the hymn, "We've a Story to tell to the Nation."

Ladies of the Church had prepared a splendid dinner for the occasion, which was delightfully served by the hostesses. The Lord's Prayer was followed by adjournment.

The Girl's Auxiliary of this Church was sponsored by Mrs. Betty F. Melton and it has proven one of the most active organizations in this congregation.

C. M. Estes was re-elected for another term on the Board of Trustees of the Celina School District Tuesday and was sworn in Wednesday night. W. J. C. Smith resigned from the Board and Woodrow Kindle was appointed to fill out his unexpired term.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lewallen of Visalia, California, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. (Lee) Burkes in this city, Mesdames Lewallen and Burkes being sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Lewallen also visited in Waco this week, guests of her brother, Superintendent Hubert Johnson of the Methodist Home, and wife. After their arrival in McKinney, Mr. Lewallen, who is in the automobile business, went on to Detroit on a business visit.

Miss Betty Jo Williams Bride L. F. Drake, Jr.

A wedding of great local interest was solemnized in McKinney Saturday night at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Earl J. Patton, when Rev. Patton united in marriage L. F. Drake, Jr., and Miss Betty Jo Williams. Mr. Drake is a son of L. F. Drake, McKinney banker, and wife, while Mrs. Drake is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Williams.

The groom, a graduate of the McKinney High School, also attended Baylor University at Waco. He was a member of the McKinney High baseball team, and recently signed a contract with the Dallas Rebels, Texas League Baseball team, as an outfielder.

The bride, one of the city's most attractive and winsome young ladies, also is a graduate of the McKinney High School. She has been in Austin since the beginning of the present session of the Legislature, being Secretary to Capt. J. A. Benton of Wylie, Flotorial Representative from Collin and Grayson Counties.

The many friends of this well-known and liked young couple extend congratulations to them on their marriage and wish for them a long and happy married life together.

Yarn Arrives

Yarn has arived for the local Collin County Red Cross Chapter to be used in making refugee garments, and an appeal has been made to the ladies of McKinney and community to help wind it, preparatory to making the garments.

More than 200 pounds of the yarn arrived in the shipment, received here over the week-end. Ladies, who will help in winding the yarn, are asked to meet in the rear of the McKinney Public Library daily this week at 9 a. m. and at 1 p. m. Sponsors of the sewing and knitting of the refugee garments are anxious for a splendid response on the part of McKinney women for this important work.

850 License Plates Issued In This County

Up to closing hours Saturday night there were 850 new 1941 Automobile License Plates issued in County Tax Assessor-Collector Clint Lewis' office by Deputy J. R. Stewart, according to his records. Of this number, 783 were for passenger cars and the remainder for commercial and farm trucks.

In 1940 approximately 12,000 auto licenses were sold in Collin County for all kinds and makes of cars and auto owners have until April 1 at midnight to obtain their 1941 licenses.

Attend Funeral Of Mrs. Mathews In McKinney

Among the out-of-town relatives attending the funeral services here last Wednesday of Mrs. Margaret Ferguson Mathews were her niece, Mrs. Sally K. Lively of Amarillo, who came by plane; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Olinger, Sam Olinger and Mrs. Ray Olinger, her nephews: Vincent Cunningham of Abernathy, a great-nephew and Mrs. Winnie McEntee, of Dallas, a great-niece.

Mrs. Mathews was the mother of Mrs. W. T. Hoard of this city.

William Hughes, who lives on Route 5 out of McKinney, was brought to the McKinney City Hospital Friday for treatment.

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More Than 1,000 Players To Enter Playground Meet

Superintendent O. E. Giles, of the Murphy Public School, was in McKinney Saturday, calling by this office to announce dates for the Collin County Interscholastic League Playground Ball Tournament, of which he is Director, to be played at Newsome Field in McKinney from Wednesday through Saturday, April 16 to 19, inclusive.

Approximately seventy-five teams representing all sections of Collin County, will be here to compete in the ten divisions of the tournament, says Superintendent Giles. One new division has been added this year. The seventy-five teams entered will bring to McKinney more than 1,500 players, in addition to the hundreds of fans that will be here to boost their own teams. Each club has ten players on the field at all times. Counting the substitute players, there will likely be from 1,500 to 2,000 players here as members of the county playground teams.

Superintendent Giles will be assisted by Coach J. H. Malone of McKinney in arranging the playing fields and says that there will be from six to eight games going on at all times during the tournament.

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Ten Divisions.

The tournament will be divided into ten divisions, as follows:

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Four Year High Schools.
High school Jr. Boys.
High school Jr. Girls.
Ward school boys.
Ward school girls.

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Two Year High Schools.
High school Jr. boys.
Hight school Jr. girls.
Ward school boys.
Ward school girls.

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Rural Schools.
Junior boys.
Junior girls.

The winner of each division will be awarded a trophy by the Larson Cycle Shop.

Playground baseball rules page 100 to 102 of bulletin No. 3824 Constitution and Rules will be used with the following exceptions:

A fifty-four foot diamond will be used.

Section H, pg. 101 will be interpreted "No cleats of any kind."

The runner may advance, at his own risk, one base on any overthrown ball on foul territory and any number of bases on fair territory.

A runner cannot score on a passed ball at home base.

The batter is out on the third strike.

Glove may be used by all players.

Bunting is prohibited.

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Twelve-Inch Seamless Balls.

Twelve inch seamless balls will be furnished by the League. Each team will be expected to furnish their bats and practice balls.

In the two high school divisions the junior high school teams will raise the age limit one year.

Rural schools will also raise the age limit one year.

Each player will pay five cents to enter the tournament. Entries will not be accepted after April [illegible] box 33, Murphy, Texas.

Brother Of Mrs. N. J. Marley Is Called By Death

The body of Andrew Jackson Baker, 94, a landowner of Collin County, where he had lived for almost 90 years, and brother of Mrs. N. J. Marley of McKinney, was taken to Van Alstyne for burial at 3 p. m. Thursday. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday morning at Wellington, Kan., where he died Monday.

Mr. Baker for the last few years had spent his Winters in Wellington at the home of his son, A. N. Baker. He was a native of Bowling Green, Ky. He had been a member of the Methodist Church for 43 years.

He also is survived by a son, Ashley Baker, Wichita Falls; four daughters, Mrs. A. L. Martin, Goree; Mrs. Joe Dupre'e, Wichita Falls; Mrs. T. R. Flesher, Anna, and Mrs. Lillian M. Minton, Van Alstyne; a sister: Mrs. Marley, of McKinney; 26 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren.

Miss Eva Ellen Berry, daughter of Mrs. Carl Berry, submitted to an eye operation in the Medical Arts hospital in Dallas, Monday afternoon. She stood the operation satisfactorily, but will be a patient in the hospital there for several days.

12-Year-Plan Is Proving Of Interest Here

While it is a little early yet to know definitely just how many school superintendents and teachers of Collin County will attend the meeting in Temple, April 10, to discuss the proposed "Twelve Year Plan" for public schools in Texas, a number of local educators will make every effort to attend, among them City Superintendent of Schools Jack R. Ryan and County Superintendent J. W. Moseley.

A plan very similar to the 12-year-plan is now in use in many cities and rural schools in Texas and it is thought that the idea will soon become universal in the Lone Star State.

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All Educators Invited.

The meeting in Temple will be open to all educators and others in Texas interested in the subject and the whole day will be given over to the discussion of this one theme. It is understood that the State Department of Education is anxious to introduce the plan into every school in Texas.

Under this plan it is suggested that the additional work be placed primarily in the first three grades, with general extension upward of materials. This would allow for additional time on the Junior High School level. It is said that perhaps the first three grades mostly need revision.

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Grades Renumbered.

The grades, under this new system, would be renumbered. A student, who is in the Eleventh grade, would be placed in the twelfth, with, of course, no change in subject material. The student who this year is in the Seventh grade would automatically be in the eighth. The additional year would, in fact, be added at the beginning of a child's public school term. Today in most public schools there is no provision for kindergarten for the little tots.

The first grade in the "Twelve Year Plan" would include work below the present first grade, or the equivalent of a kindergarten grade. The second grade would include the remainder of the present first grade studies and, in addition, some work which is now being given in the second grade. The third grade will be the present second grade with only a slight amount of third grade work. The fourth grade will be exactly the third grade as it is operated under the present set-up. The new fifth grade will be the present fourth, and so on, making it necessary for a child to go through eight grades before entering High School.

Additional material in physical education, fine arts and safety will be added to the elementary grades, thereby enriching the program each term.

Alla Hubbard Votes Increase In School Tax

Every School District in Collin County now meets all requirements for State Aid and affiliation, according to announcement made Monday by County School Superintendent J. W. Moseley.

Alla Hubbard District, No. 67, the only district in the county which had a school tax rate less than 50 cents, voted Saturday, March 8, to increase it's rate from 15 cents to 50 cents, the same as in other districts.

The unofficial returns from the Saturday election received by Superintendent Moseley by long distance telephone showed the vote was 25-to-12 in favor of the increased tax.

Mrs. Flora Walker left McKinney Tuesday for Ontario, Calif., to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Iola Tubergen. She has been living in McKinney for the past sixteen or eighteen years and will be greatly missed by her friends here. We wish for her much happiness in her new home.

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Mrs. Lewis Brinlee and Mrs. Arba Brinlee of Anna entertained 26 guests Tuesday at a party celebrating the seventh birthday of their niece, Rosana Brinlee, at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Bert Brinlee. A refreshment course was served with Mrs. Jimmy Reaves assisting.

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Malcolm Richardson, student in the ETSTC at Commerce, spent the week-end in McKinney. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. V. Richardson, residing on North Tennessee Street.

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Isham Younger, well-known McKinney pharmacist, recently accepted a position with Gamble's Drug Store, on the Northwest corner of the public square. He has long been a prominent pharmacist, and is experienced and highly skilled in his profession. He cordially invites his many friends to visit him. Mr. and Mrs. Gamble, owners and proprietors of this McKinney Drug firm, are pleased to have Mr. Younger associated with them.

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